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ABSTRACT

The air permeability of special, woven, nylon, orlon, and daeron, parachute-type fabrics was determined using a sample 6.05 inches in diameter. The permeometer used in this program permitted testing the fabric samples at pressure differentials across the cloth as high as 55 inches of water. The sixty-one experimental cloths woven in the Laboratories of the Georgia Institute of Technology Textile School were subject to this test procedure.

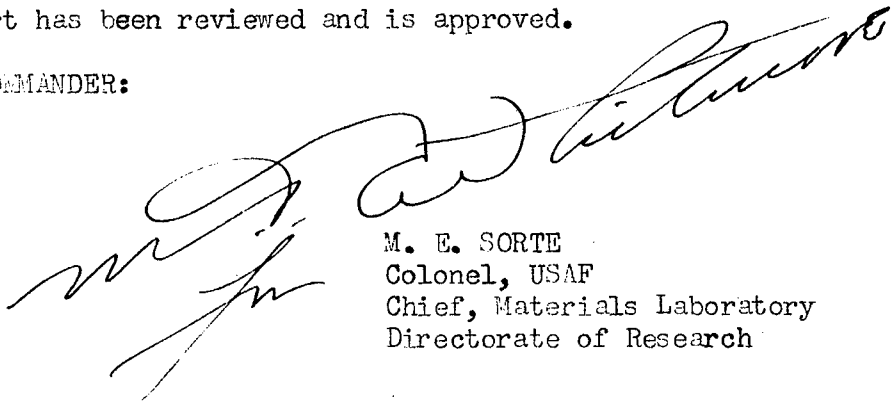
Air permeability data for the Georgia Tech-woven fabrics, Bally Ribbon cloths, and the ten Air Force-furnished fabrics are presented here in graphical form as volumetric flow (cubic feet per minute) versus static pressure differential across the cloth.

The number of ends per inch in warp, and picks per inch in the filling, and denier of yarns was found to affect air permeability of these fabrics. The finishing of the fabrics was found to affect the permeability more than any other of the many variables involved. The tests to determine the effect of variation of the weave pattern failed to show significant differences on this account.

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I. INTRODUCTION

A. Statement of the Problem

The work presented here is a continuation of the study reported in USAF Technical Report No. WADC 52-283. These studies are to determine the air permeability of nylon, orlon, and dacron parachute-type fabrics. The effects of denier and fabric weave geometry on air permeability were the object of the research.

B. Definition of Terms

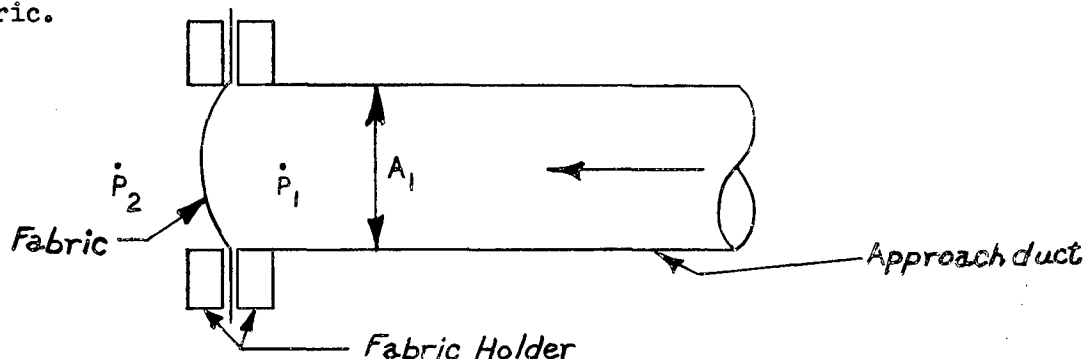
In this report the following definitions of permeability and porosity will be adhered to:

Permeability: the mass rate of flow or the volume rate of air flow per unit projected area of the cloth.

Porosity: the ratio of projected void or interstitial area to total projected area of the cloth sample expressed in per cent (%).

Relative Porosity: arbitrarily defined as the ratio of the velocity of the air upstream of the cloth to the theoretical velocity obtainable because of the pressure drop impressed across the cloth.

The illustrative sketches which follow and the symbols employed serve to implement these definitions. Subscripts 1 and 2 in the sketches indicate, respectively, the flow conditions upstream and downstream relative to the fabric.



$$\text{Permeability} = \rho_1 V_1 A_1 = G \frac{\text{lbs.}}{\text{sec.}}$$

$$\text{or} \quad = V_1 A_1 = Q \text{ ft.}^3/\text{sec.}$$

$$\text{Porosity} = \frac{A_{\text{void}}}{A_{\text{total}}} \times 100, \text{ per cent}$$

$$\text{Relative Porosity} = \frac{V_1}{\sqrt{2 \left(\frac{P_1 - P_2}{\rho_1} \right)}} \text{ (dimensionless)}$$

II. LITERATURE SURVEY

All available sources of literature are continually searched for information pertinent to the permeability of parachute fabrics including methods and equipment for conducting permeability studies.

The few articles appearing in appropriate trade periodicals are indicative of the lack of general interest in this particular subject. Such literature as has been uncovered recently is authored by persons of the small group actively engaged in parachute design and development. The interest of the garment trade in air permeability of fabrics is recognized. However, it must be remembered that the low flow of air through garment fabric will permit permeability tests of garment fabrics at pressure differentials as low as one-half inch of water.

III. APPARATUS

A. Introduction

Two specially constructed wind tunnels were used as permeometers in conducting the investigations reported herein. One of these will be called the low-pressure permeometer (0-10 inches of water) and the other the high-pressure permeometer (3-55 inches of water). A feature of both wind

tunnels is that the same fabric sample holder will fit either. This permits conducting low-pressure tests on one tunnel and continuing these studies at higher pressures by merely changing the sample holder to the higher-pressure wind tunnel and without removing the fabric sample from the holder. This provides good correlation of experimental data over the test range of 0-55 inches of water pressure differentials. The permeometers are shown in Figure 1.

B. Low-Pressure Tunnel

The low-pressure tunnel is provided with air from a conventional vacuum cleaner motor and blower. The 2-1/2-inch-diameter ducting is plastic and incorporates special taps and flanges for an orifice meter installation. The outboard (away from the fan) end of the tunnel is expanded into a six-inch-diameter plastic duct. This large duct has a flange to which the sample holder is clamped.

Pressure differentials across the cloth are measured by alcohol micromanometers. Similarly, the pressure differential across the orifice meter is measured by use of another micromanometer. This permits measurement of pressure differentials as low as that equivalent to 0.010 inches of alcohol. Variation of air pressure is obtained by use of a simple plug valve.

C. High-Pressure Tunnel

This tunnel is provided with air by a 7-1/2 HP electric motor driving a Buffalo Forge Company fan. This fan permits pressure differentials across the cloth equivalent to 55 inches of water.

A sheet metal expansion section hooked to the fan outlet increases the duct internal diameter to 5-3/4 inches. A straight section of metallic duct containing an "egg-crate" air-flow-straightening device follows the

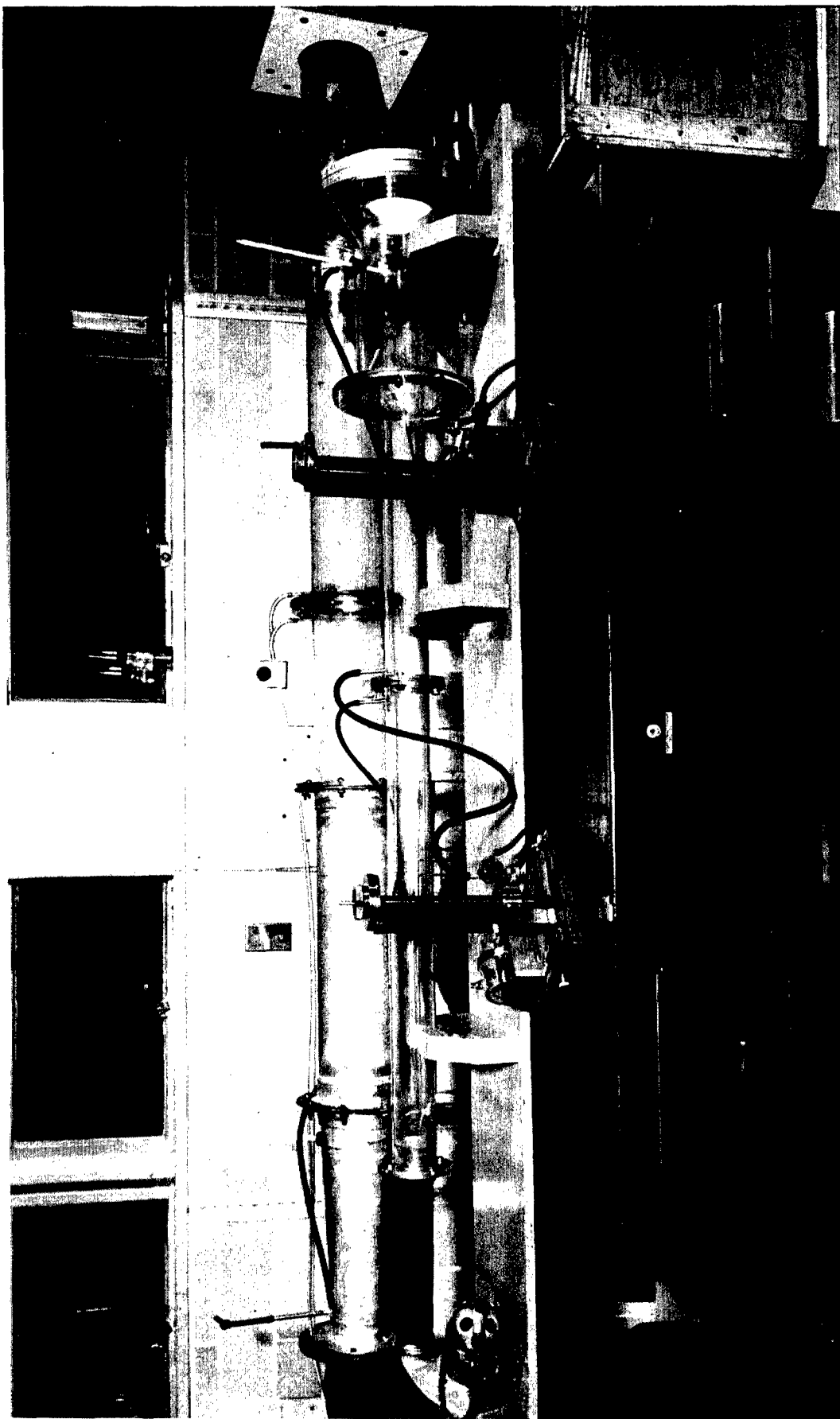


Figure 1. General View of High- and Low-Pressure Permeometers.

expansion section. The duct material then changes to plastic, and a flanged joint with taps is provided at the station of the orifice meter. After the orifice meter, another "egg-crate" straightener is provided. At the tunnel outlet, a bellmouth expansion section provides for the attachment of the fabric sample holder.

Pressure differentials across the fabric sample are indicated by a large water manometer. This manometer is graduated in 0.10 inches and may be read to an accuracy of 0.050 inches. An alcohol micromanometer is used to measure the pressure differentials across the orifice. The gauge board is shown in Figure 2.

Variation of air pressure is obtained by use of a plug valve inserted at the fan inlet. This valve permits regulation of the pressure down to that equivalent to 3 or 4 inches of water.

Air filters are provided at the fan inlet. These remove the large-scale dust from the air flowing through the wind tunnel.

An insulated chamber ventilated to the "outside air" surrounds the bellmouth and sample holder. This permits the hot air leaving the tunnel to exhaust to the out-of-doors. In this way the inlet air temperature and the room temperature are maintained at approximately 80° F.

The temperature of the air flow is taken at the fan inlet and outlet. Also, the temperature is measured downstream of the sample holder. There is never more than 10° F. difference between the temperature at the fan outlet and that downstream of the sample. Therefore, in computing the test results, the temperature at the fabric sample has been averaged and used to compute the air density.

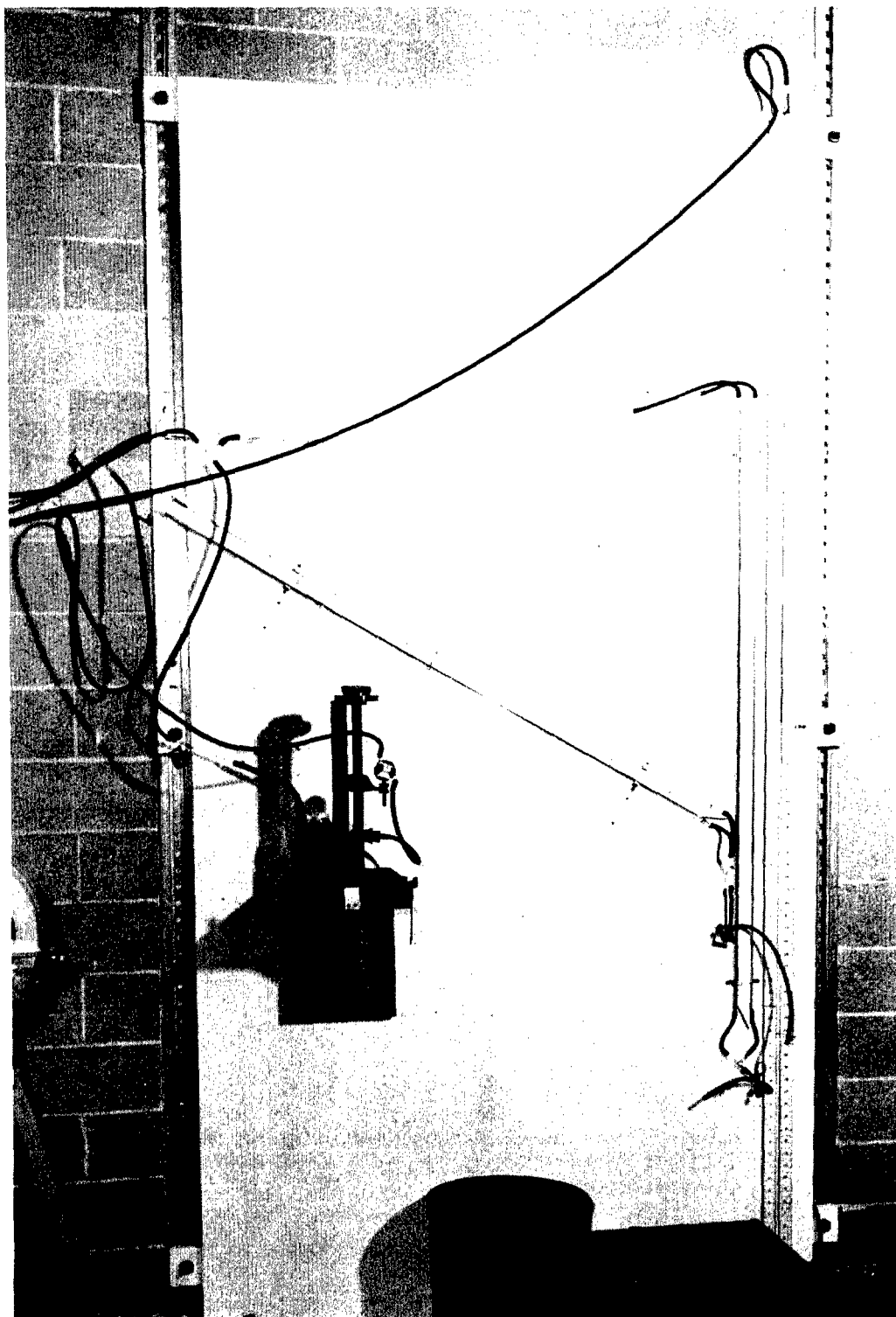


Figure 2. Gauge Board.

A mercurial barometer and an aneroid barometer are used to determine the atmospheric pressure. Also a Bendix-Freiz recording psychrometer is used to record the temperature and relative humidity of the room. By knowing the quantity of water in a unit weight of air in the room it is then possible, by also knowing the local temperature at any point in the permeometer, to know the relative humidity at that point.

IV. SPECIAL EFFECTS

A. Relative Humidity

The ASTM specifications for textile testing call for an ambient temperature of 70° F. and relative humidity of 65% \pm 2%. There were no provisions for controlling the humidity of the laboratory room or of the air going through the permeometer.

The test procedure required a waiting period, after the permeometer was started and before taking air flow readings, until the temperature at the fabric sample was at least 118° F. This resulted in all of the tests being conducted with fabric temperatures ranging from 118° F. to 130° F. Using the moisture quantity determined by the psychrometer in the laboratory room and the wind tunnel outlet temperatures, relative humidity at the fabric sample ranged from 10 to 28 per cent with about 20 per cent average relative humidity.

Some change was noted in the orifice pressure differential as the outlet temperature increased, while the pressure differential across the fabric sample was maintained constant. It was then determined that this change was a function of the air density's changing with temperature. When the density was corrected for the temperature change, the flow quantity was found to be constant.

Relative humidity is not expected to have great effect on nylon, orlon, and dacron yarns. This is stated in the various handbooks giving specific properties for these materials. The only way moisture or humidity could affect the fabric sample would be for the fabric to pick up the water from the air flowing through it or for solid particles of water to block the interstitial voids.

The special investigations to determine the effect of relative humidity failed to indicate, conclusively, that relative humidity changes affected the fabric air permeability values at all. This was further evidenced by obtaining almost exact air permeability for the same sample throughout the range of 10 to 30 per cent relative humidity.

It may certainly be concluded that relative humidity within the range of 10 to 30 per cent does not appreciably affect the air permeability of these nylon, orlon, and dacron fabrics. It is further concluded that the tests were conducted in a range of relative humidity wherein any contributing effects due to relative humidity were at least constant.

B. Effect of Time and Aging

It was felt that the air permeability results might be a function of time and aging. To check these, cloth samples were run in the machine one day, the sample holder left in place, and the tests run over again twenty-four hours later. The sample was then filed away in an ordinary filing cabinet with no provision or attempt to maintain a constant temperature or relative humidity. The sample was reinstalled in the sample holder, and the air permeability tests were repeated one year after the sample was first run.

The effect of time and aging on the air permeability test results were found to be negligible. The differences were all within the confidence level ($\pm 7.5\%$ of the mean 95 per cent of the time) of this program (1). This investigation also shows that the technique of installing the fabric sample in the fabric holder does not affect the air permeability results. The results of this investigation are shown in Figures 3 and 4.

If installation and aging affected the air permeability results, significant difference should have been observed between the air permeability results of the two tests run a year apart.

C. Effect of Stretch

If the fabric yarns stretched as result of the air load, it might be expected that the interstitial voids would increase in area. Such an increase would probably permit more fluid to flow, accompanied by a reduction of the rate of change of resistance.

The curvature of various fabric samples under air load was measured. It was considered that the arc of these curves was an approximation of the extended length of the fabric threads. A statistical study of these measurements revealed that maximum extension of threads, as indicated by the length of arc, was 3 per cent. Although this would indicate some extension of interstitial area, because of the round sample only the center threads would be extended to the maximum.

It is concluded that air loading, caused by pressure differentials equivalent to 50 inches of water, does not cause an appreciable stretch of the fabric and a consequent change of fabric geometry.

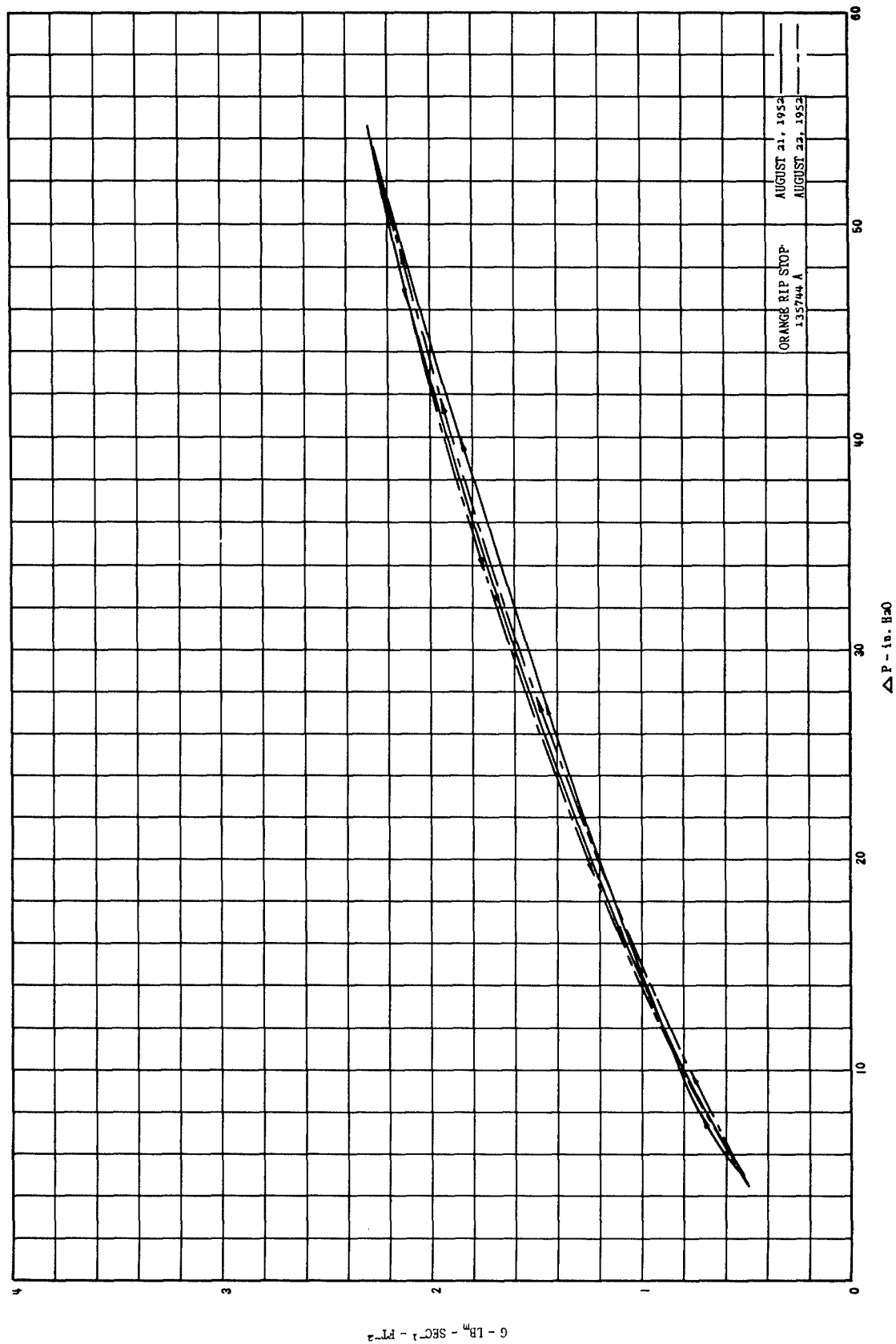


Figure 3. Effect of One Day's Aging on Fabric Permeability.

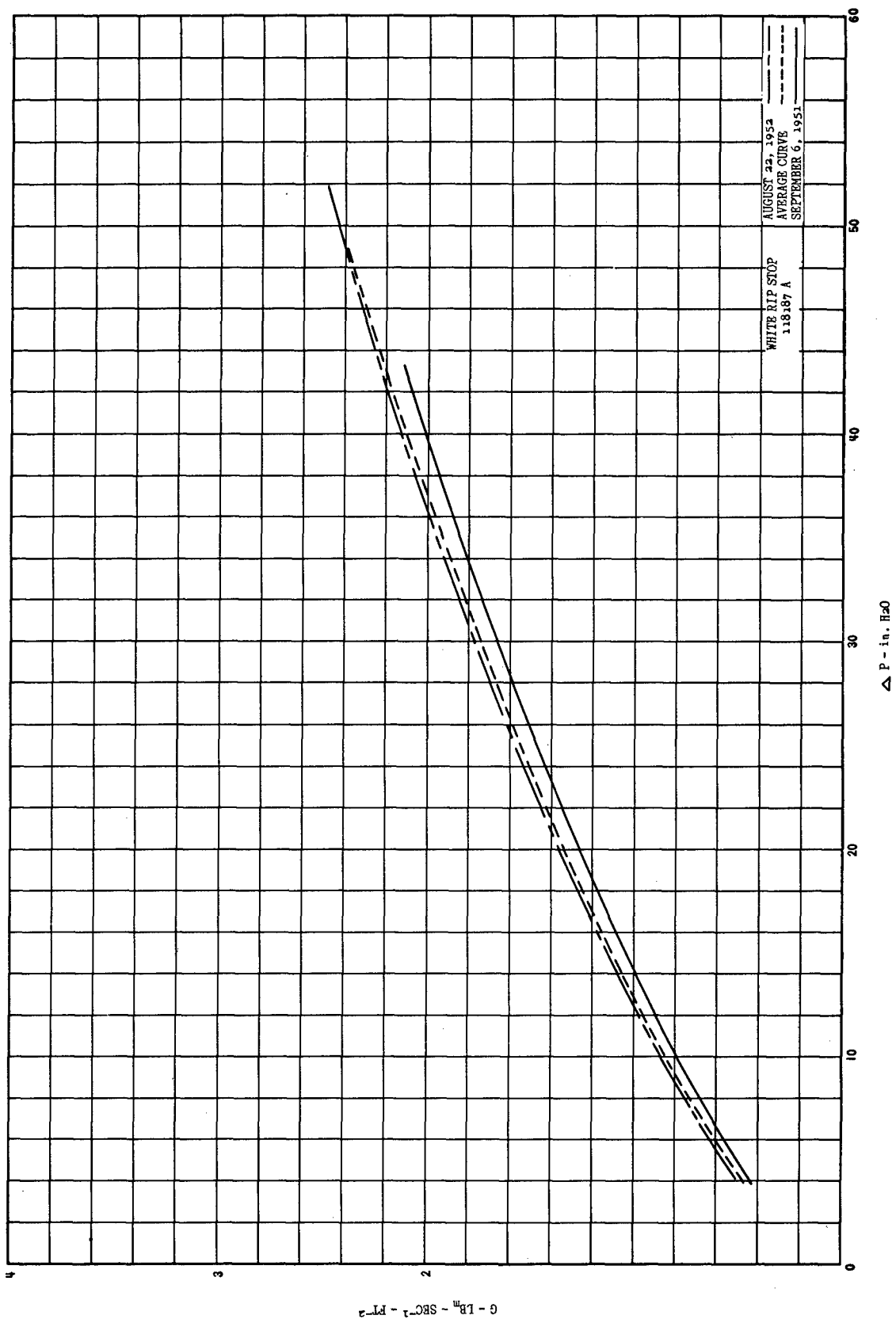


Figure 4. Effect of One Year's Aging on Fabric Permeability.

D. Effect of Repeated Loading

Several test runs were made to determine the effect of repeated loading on the cloth samples. The procedure involved starting with a high-pressure differential across the cloth, gradually decreasing this until the lowest possible pressure differential is obtained. Then the plug valve was opened wide and the cloth again subjected to the maximum pressure differential (approximately 55 inches of water). Again the pressure differential was lowered until the minimum pressure differential was obtained. Volumetric air permeability data from these runs, when plotted versus pressure differential, indicated insignificant difference well within the confidence level ($\pm 7.5\%$ of the mean 95 per cent of the time) of this program.

When conducting repeated loading of the cloth samples, if the micro-manometer readings of the orifice meter only are compared, it would appear that the differences between the successive runs are significant. However, it will also be noted that the air temperature has changed as compared with the previous run. Correcting for temperature or presenting the permeability data in terms of volume flow of air at Standard Conditions versus pressure differential will result in the above mentioned insignificant differences between the repeated runs.

V. TEST PROCEDURE AND METHOD OF HANDLING DATA

A. Selection of Cloth Sample

A statistical study was conducted to determine the number of samples and their position on the yardage from which each cloth sample was taken (1). It was concluded that nine random samples should be taken from as widely separated positions as possible. The same procedure for selecting samples has been followed throughout the program.

B. Sample Mounting Procedure

The arrangement of the permeometer is such that the sample installed in the sample holder is tested in either of the two available pressure ranges by merely transferring the sample holder from one tunnel to the other. Figure 5 is an exploded view of the sample holder.

A sample, about 9 inches in diameter, is cut from the cloth. This is laid on the upstream half of the sample holder, covering the central hole through the sample holder half. A ring of 1/4-inch rubber tubing is then laid on the cloth in such a manner that, when the halves of the sample holder are assembled, the cloth will be forced into the retaining groove on the inner face of the upstream half of the sample holder. Friction of the ring against the cloth retains the sample uniformly in the sample holder. The sample-holder halves are then bolted together.

The same procedure in mounting the cloth sample has been followed in all tests.

C. Operation of the Permeometer

In the case of the permeometer for the low-pressure range (0-3 inches of water) the blower is started and the plug valve is adjusted to give the desired pressure differential across the cloth sample. Then the machine is allowed to run at that setting until constant or steady flow is obtained; then the orifice meter reading is taken. This procedure is followed for as many points as may be desired in this pressure range.

In the higher-pressure range (3-50 inches of water), the sample holder is installed at the tunnel or permeometer exit, the blower is started and the plug valve opened wide. The permeometer is allowed to run until the temperature at the cloth sample is 118°-120° F. At this

Figure 5. Exploded View of Fabric Sample Holder.



time the first orifice meter reading is made. Subsequent pressure differentials across the cloth sample are obtained by adjusting the plug valve. During the test period, in which the pressure differential across the sample is dropped successively, the temperature at the sample is found to increase 15 to 20° F. At each pressure differential the temperatures at fan inlet and at the sample holder and the pressure differential across the orifice meter are recorded.

The laboratory room is served by the building's air conditioning system. The permeometer exit and the sample holder are housed in an insulated chamber that is open to the outside air. This prevents the introduction to the laboratory room of the air heated by compressions caused by the fan. Thus, more uniform air temperature conditions are maintained.

D. Handling of Data

For each cloth to be investigated nine samples are run, and a log sheet similar to that of Figure 6 is obtained for each sample. Then plots of orifice meter pressure versus pressure differential across the fabric sample are prepared for each of the nine samples. From these plots, average values of orifice meter pressure differentials for various pressure differentials across the fabric sample are obtained. The average values are used in connection with the formulae presented here as Figure 7, "Master Data and Result Sheet," and the resultant computations are demonstrated by Figure 8, a sample data sheet for a representative cloth. From this, plots of relative porosity (v/V) versus mass velocity (G) may be prepared.

It may be desirable to plot volumetric flow, $\text{ft}^3/\text{ft}^2/\text{sec.}$, at standard conditions versus the pressure drop across the fabric sample expressed

LOG SHEET

Project 170-117

Cloth Identification

Style No. 000/100Fiber Content NylonWeave Pattern Plain - 131461AColor Style WhiteDate 29 August 51

Room Temperatures

Dry Bulb _____

Wet Bulb _____

Remarks: U. S. Air Force

Baro 29.23

| Test Number | Static Pressure in. W.G. | Orifice Pressure Drop in. W.G. | Temperatures °F | |
|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|--------|
| | | | Inlet | Outlet |
| Zero Readings | 0.03 | 0.00 | 83 | 83 |
| I | 43.02 | 4.112 | 90 | 118 |
| II | 40.57 | 3.826 | 90 | 120 |
| III | 31.23 | 3.047 | 90 | 120 |
| IV | 25.82 | 2.288 | 89 | 121 |
| V | 18.52 | 1.549 | 88 | 121 |
| VI | 14.97 | 1.218 | 89 | 121 |
| VII | 9.87 | 0.759 | 89 | 122 |
| VIII | 5.87 | 0.406 | 89 | 122 |
| IX | 2.97 | 0.170 | 91 | 124 |
| X | 2.37 | 0.138 | 95 | 124 |
| XI | 9.65 | 0.619 | 88 | 125 |
| XII | 18.60 | 1.300 | 89 | 125 |
| XIII | 30.55 | 2.353 | 89 | 124 |
| XIV | 43.65 | 3.546 | 91 | 123 |

Figure 6. Sample Log Sheet For Fabric Permeability Test.

Figure 7. Master Data and Result Sheet

| Item No. | Dimension |
|---|--|
| 1. Barometer | in. Hg |
| 2. Barometer (0.491 x item 1) | lb _f in ⁻² |
| 3. Static pressure (S.P.) | inches of water |
| 4. Static pressure (0.0362 x item 3) | lb _f in ⁻² |
| 5. Static pressure, P, (item 2 + item 4) | lb _f in ⁻² abs. |
| 6. Inlet air temperature | °F abs. |
| 7. Outlet air temperature, T, | °F abs. |
| 8. Psychrometer Data | |
| Dry bulb temperature | °F |
| Wet Bulb temperature | °F |
| Relative humidity | % |
| 9. Orifice pressure drop, h _w , | inches of water |
| 10. $\frac{P}{T}$, (item 5 ÷ item 7) | |
| 11. Air density at cloth, ρ, (0.004672 x item 5) | lb _m ft ⁻³ |
| 12. h _w ρ, (item 9 x item 11) | |
| 13. $\sqrt{h_w \rho}$, (item 12) ^{1/2} | |
| 14. Estimated air flow, M (0.894 x item 13) | lb _m sec ⁻¹ |
| 15. Air viscosity, μ, at temperature of item 7 | cp |
| 16. M ÷ μ (item 14 ÷ item 15) | |
| 17. Reynolds number at throat, N _{Re} (6179 x $\frac{1}{\mu}$ x item 14) | |
| 18. Corrected orifice coefficient, K, | |
| 19. Correct flow, M _c (item 14 x $\frac{\text{item 18}}{0.662}$) | lb _m sec ⁻¹ |
| 20. Mass velocity at cloth, G, ($\frac{\text{item 19}}{0.2^*}$) | lb _m sec ⁻¹ ft ⁻² |
| 21. Reynolds number in tube, N _{Re} , (0.64 x item 17) | |
| 22. $\frac{M_c}{\rho}$ (item 19 ÷ item 11) | |
| 23. Velocity in duct, V (item 22 ÷ 0.179 ^{**}) | ft sec ⁻¹ |
| 24. ρV ² [item 11 x (item 23) ²] | |
| 25. Velocity pressure, V.P., (0.00299 x item 24) | in W.G. |
| 26. Item 25 ÷ item 3 | |
| 27. Relative porosity (item 26) ^{1/2} | |
| * 0.2 ft ² projected area of cloth sample. | |
| ** 0.179 ft ² wind tunnel area. | |

Figure 8. Sample Data and Result Sheet

| Cloth Identification | | | | | | | | | | | | Ref: Log Sheet | |
|----------------------|-------------|-----------------|-------|-------------------|-------|---------------|--------|-------|--------|-----------|--------|----------------|-------|
| Style No. | | 000/100 | | Color Style White | | Fiber Content | | Nylon | | Piece No. | | Run No. ES-1 | |
| Weave Pattern | | Plain - 131461A | | USAF | | ES-1 | | USAF | | Page No. | | Computed by | |
| Item Number* | Test Number | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 | 29.22 |
| 2 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 | 14.33 |
| 3 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 15 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 | | |
| 4 | .109 | .145 | .181 | .217 | .290 | .362 | .543 | .724 | 1.086 | 1.448 | 1.81 | | |
| 5 | 14.4 | 14.5 | 14.5 | 14.6 | 14.6 | 14.7 | 14.9 | 15.1 | 15.4 | 15.8 | 16.1 | | |
| 9 | .164 | .229 | .295 | .364 | .507 | .655 | 1.04 | 1.45 | 2.32 | 3.23 | 4.17 | | |
| 10 | .0248 | .0249 | .0249 | .0251 | .025 | .025 | .0256 | .026 | .0265 | .0271 | .028 | | |
| 11 | .0671 | .0675 | .0675 | .068 | .068 | .068 | .0694 | .0704 | .0718 | .0734 | .075 | | |
| 12 | .0110 | .01545 | .0184 | .0247 | .0345 | .045 | .0721 | .102 | .1665 | .237 | .313 | | |
| 13 | .105 | .125 | .136 | .158 | .186 | .212 | .268 | .319 | .408 | .486 | .56 | | |
| 14 | .0940 | .112 | .121 | .141 | .166 | .189 | .240 | .285 | .365 | .434 | .50 | | |
| 15 | .0195 | .0195 | -- | -- | -- | .0195 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | | |
| 17 | 29800 | 35500 | 38300 | 44600 | 52600 | 60000 | 76000 | 90300 | 116000 | 138000 | 158000 | | |
| 18 | .700 | .694 | .692 | .687 | .683 | .680 | .676 | .674 | .672 | .671 | .67 | | |
| 19 | .0896 | .118 | .127 | .147 | .1715 | .195 | .245 | .291 | .370 | .438 | .51 | | |
| 20 | .498 | .59 | .635 | .735 | .857 | .975 | 1.23 | 1.45 | 1.85 | 2.19 | 2.5 | | |
| 21 | 19100 | 22700 | 24500 | 28600 | 33600 | 38400 | 48600 | 57800 | 74200 | 88300 | 101000 | | |
| 22 | 1.485 | 1.75 | 1.885 | 2.16 | 2.52 | 2.84 | 3.54 | 4.14 | 5.16 | 5.98 | 6.75 | | |
| 23 | 8.30 | 9.78 | 10.9 | 12.1 | 14.1 | 15.9 | 19.8 | 23.15 | 28.85 | 33.45 | 37.8 | | |
| 24 | 4.62 | 6.46 | 8.04 | 9.92 | 13.5 | 17.3 | 27.2 | 37.7 | 59.8 | 82.0 | 108 | | |
| 25 | .0138 | .0193 | .0240 | .0296 | .040 | .0517 | .08 | .112 | .179 | .245 | .32 | | |
| 26 | .0046 | .00481 | .0048 | .0049 | .005 | .00517 | .00534 | .0056 | .0059 | .00612 | .0065 | | |
| 27 | .0678 | .0693 | .0693 | .0702 | .0711 | .0719 | .0731 | .0748 | .0773 | .078 | .08 | | |

*Item 6, 7 and 8 data were not recorded.
Machine calculation eliminated need for recording Item 16.

in equivalent inches of water. This may be accomplished by the further processing of data of the type shown in Figure 8, as shown below.

$$Q_s = \frac{G_s}{\rho_s} \quad \text{and } G_s = C \sqrt{\rho_s h_w}$$

$$Q_\bullet = \frac{G_\bullet}{\rho_\bullet} \quad \text{and } G_\bullet = C \sqrt{\rho_\bullet h_w}$$

$$\frac{Q_s}{Q_\bullet} = \frac{G_s/\rho_s}{G_\bullet/\rho_\bullet}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q_s &= Q_\bullet \times \frac{G_s}{\rho_s} \times \frac{\rho_\bullet}{G_\bullet} = Q_\bullet \frac{C \sqrt{\rho_s h_w}}{\rho_s} \times \frac{\rho_\bullet}{C \sqrt{\rho_\bullet h_w}} \\ &= Q_\bullet \frac{\sqrt{\rho_\bullet}}{\sqrt{\rho_s}} = \frac{G_\bullet}{\rho_\bullet} \times \frac{\sqrt{\rho_\bullet}}{\sqrt{\rho_s}} = \frac{G_\bullet}{\sqrt{\rho_\bullet \rho_s}} \end{aligned}$$

where Q = volume flow, $\text{ft}^3/\text{ft}^2/\text{sec}$.

G = mass velocity, $\text{lbs}/\text{ft}^2/\text{sec}$.

ρ = density of air

and subscript s is standard conditions,

\bullet is test conditions.

VI. THEORY

It appears that several flow analogies must be used to describe the mechanics of air flow through a fabric. At low-pressure differentials (probably much less than 50 inches of water) the air flow through the cloth is like that of a viscous flow through a porous media. This flow is a function of the Reynolds number, and some difficulty in choosing a characteristic length (1) is experienced. Several authors such as Rose (2), and Hoerner (3) suggest a dimension in the direction of flow equal to the depth of the porous bed or, in the case of the cloth, the thickness

of the fabric. However, failing to obtain a precise measurement of this characteristic length, Greene and Duez (4) have developed a procedure that infers the Reynolds number and does not require the measurement of a characteristic length.

At the higher pressure differentials, the air flow through the cloth may be like the air flow through a screen or a grid. Hoerner (3) suggests that the air flow through screen or grid formulae he used should be limited to Reynolds numbers greater than one thousand where the screen thickness is the characteristic length.

When the pressure differentials are still greater, the elastic properties of the cloth predominate. Interstitial openings expand and the rate of increase in air flow versus pressure differential across the cloth decreases. This rate of change is a definite function of the elastic properties of the cloth. It is felt that permeabilities of parachute fabrics under these conditions are functions of number and denier of warp and filling threads and the elastic properties of the cloth and are not a function of the Reynolds number.

At higher-pressure differentials, air compressibility effects will be experienced, and these will also affect the air permeability of the cloth.

Equations and procedures for describing the flow of fluids through porous media have been suggested by Green and Duez (4). These formulae and procedures are discussed, and applications to the problem of fabric permeability are demonstrated in a technical report by Goglia (1). Cecil D. Brown (5) has conducted subsequent investigations on the ways and means of applying these formulae and procedures to the research subject.

Brown begins with the equation for the pressure gradient ($- dp/dx$) for the flow of an incompressible fluid.

$$-\frac{dp}{dx} = \alpha \mu V + \beta \rho V^2 \quad (1)$$

where α and β are flow coefficients defined by Green and Duez (4) and μ is the coefficient of viscosity of the fluid. The mass density of the fluid has the symbol ρ . The velocity of fluid through the porous media is V . For isothermal flow of a gas through a porous bed, the pressure-square gradient may be expressed as

$$\frac{P_1^2 - P_2^2}{L} = \alpha \left(2RT \frac{\mu}{g_c} \right) G + \beta \left(\frac{2RT}{g_c} \right) G^2. \quad (2)$$

Here P_1 and P_2 are the pressures at the beginning and end of the porous bed. The linear distance L is in the direction of flow through the bed. The mass velocity G of fluid flowing through the bed has the dimensions of $\text{lb.} \cdot \text{sec.}^{-1}$. The symbol g_c is the gravitational constant in the usual sense. Brown (5) defines a new variable,

$$\psi = \frac{\Delta P^2}{2RTG}.$$

Equation 2 is then modified:

$$\psi = \frac{\Delta P^2}{2RTG} = \alpha L \frac{\mu}{g_c} + \frac{\beta LG}{g_c}. \quad (3)$$

This results in the dependent variable ψ as a linear function of the independent variable G . It is then to be expected that, if the actual flow is of the type assumed above, the experimental data, reduced as described here, will plot as a straight line. If the experimental data does not plot as a straight line, it is an indication that the actual flow was not of the type presumed.

Brown (5) utilized fabric permeability data obtained from the experimental phases of the subject research to test the methods and procedures described here. The curve of ψ Figure 9 versus mass velocity (G) for the Bally Ribbon Fabric Number 1 is typical of the fabrics investigated. In comparison, the air permeability data for a 100-mesh screen in terms of ψ versus mass velocity (G) is presented here as Figure 10. In the case of the Bally Ribbon Fabric Number 1, the curve is linear to a point where $\psi = 1.35$ and $G = 2 \text{ lb.-sec.}^{-1}\text{ft.}^{-2}$. As for the 100-mesh screen, the non-linear portion of the curve was beyond the point defined by $\psi = 0.4$ and $G = 3.0 \text{ lb.-sec.}^{-1}\text{ft.}^{-2}$.

In the case of the Bally Ribbon Fabric No. 1, the point where the experimental data departs from the theoretical line occurs at a Reynolds number of 43.3 and at a pressure differential, across the fabric, equivalent to approximately seven inches of water. As for the 100-mesh screen, the departure of experimental data from the theoretical line occurs at a Reynolds number of 191 and a pressure drop across the fabric sample equivalent to approximately three inches of water. From this it is concluded that departure of experimental data from the theoretical line is evidence that the properties of the measured flow through the fabric are not as assumed. Also, it is the author's opinion that the point of departure is an indication that the transition has occurred and that the inertial properties of the flow predominate over the viscous contribution.

VII. DISCUSSION OF TEST RESULTS

Numerous samples of parachute-type fabrics of various synthetic materials have been furnished by the Textile Branch during this program.

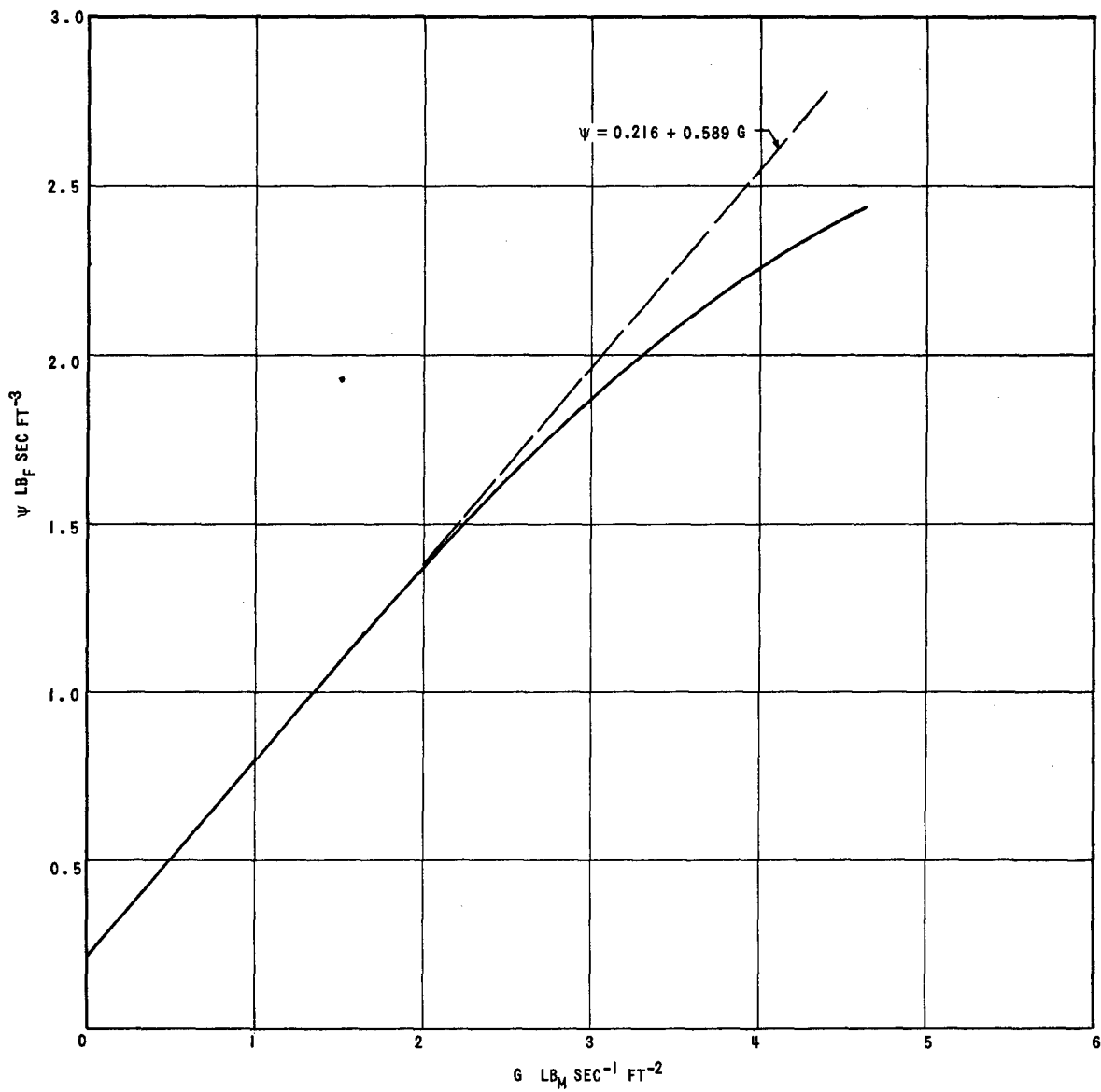


Figure 9. ψ versus Mass Velocity for Bally Ribbon Fabric No. 1.

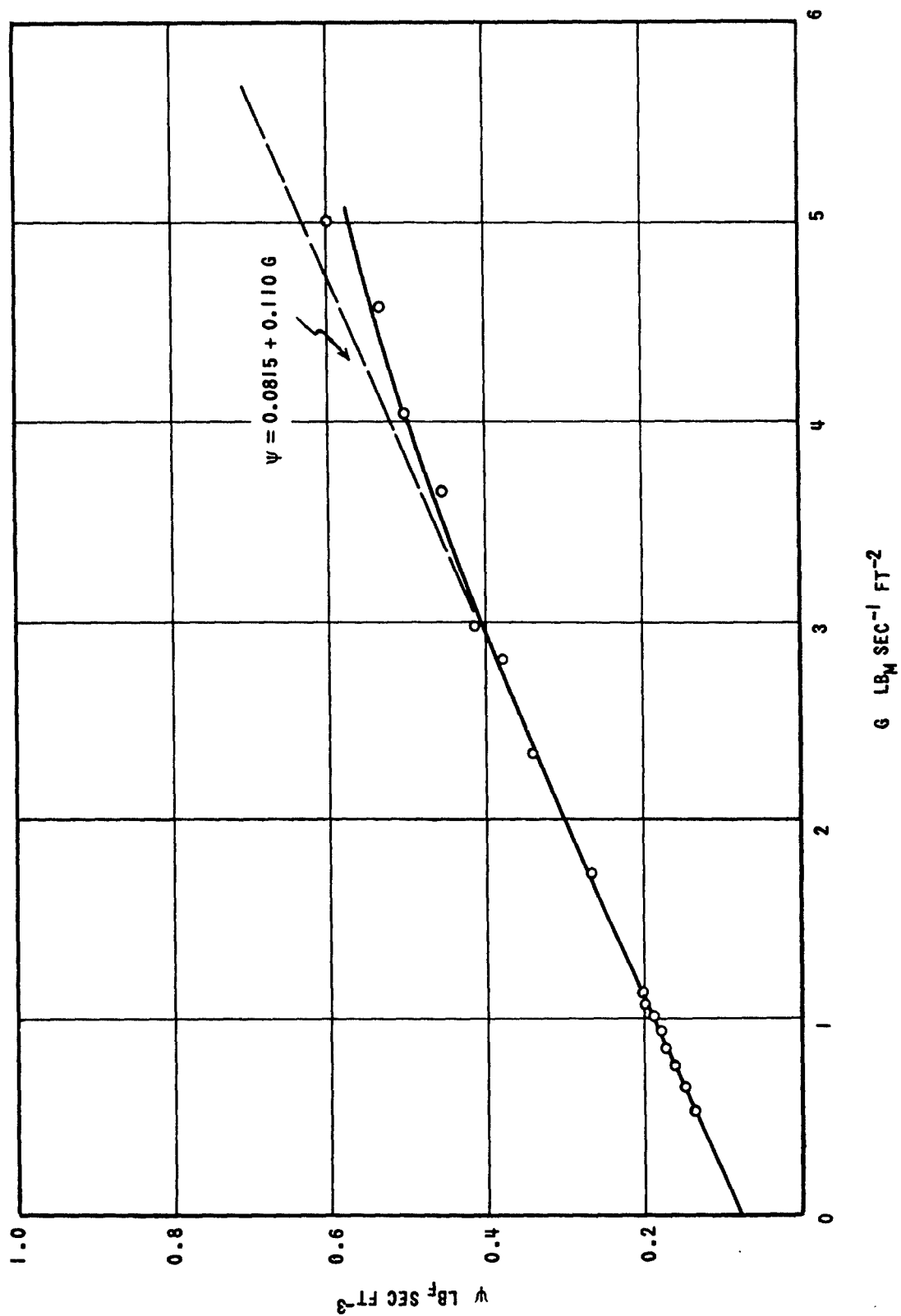


Figure 10. ψ versus Mass Velocity for 100 Mesh Screen.

In addition, nylon, orlon, and dacron cloths, of several deniers and different construction, have been woven in the textile laboratories at Georgia Tech especially for use in this program.

The physical properties of the Georgia Tech-woven fabrics are presented in Tables I through III in Appendix II. These data previously appeared in Quarterly Report No. 3 (8). Physical properties of the ten Air Force-furnished and Bally Ribbon cloths were presented in Part I (1) of that report.

Permeability tests were conducted on the Georgia Tech-woven fabrics using the large permeometer. Results of these tests, in terms of relative porosity (v/V) versus mass velocity (G), have been presented in Quarterly Reports Nos. 2 and 3 (7 and 8). However, it was decided that air permeability data for these fabrics would be more generally useful if presented in a form of volumetric flow (c.f.m.) versus pressure drop across the cloth (inches of water) at standard conditions. Table IV of Appendix II contains the summary of test results for the Georgia Tech-woven, Air Force-furnished and Bally Ribbon fabrics. The volumetric air permeability data for the Georgia Tech-woven fabrics are presented in Figures 11 through 23 in Appendix III. Similar data for the ten Air Force-furnished cloths appear in Appendix III, Figures 24 through 25, and the Bally Ribbon fabrics are plotted in Figures 26 through 55.

The effect of varying the number of filling threads per inch on air-permeability data for Georgia Tech-woven fabrics at a pressure differential equivalent to 20 inches of water is presented in Table V. This table indicates that increasing the number of filling threads reduces the amount of air flowing through the cloth.

Table VI contains a comparison showing the effect of weave pattern variation on air permeability. Here, air permeability data for Georgia Tech-woven fabrics of similar thread count and denier but having plain, twill, and satin weave patterns are compared at 20 inches static pressure. In any group in Table VI, showing the volumetric flow at 20 inches of water, static pressure for any one weave pattern of the group will not be more than 15 per cent greater than the mean value for the group. However, a study of the table fails to indicate any pattern whereby it would be possible to deduce that one weave pattern was more or less permeable than another.

The effect of finish on air permeability of these fabrics is indicated in Table VII. The nylon cloth was subjected to scouring, "light" calendering, and stretching on tenterframe machines. This table comparing permeability data for finished nylon cloth to data for unfinished cloth (as it comes from the loom) indicates that finishing greatly affects the permeability of these fabrics.

VIII. CONCLUSIONS

The variation of denier and thread count in both warp and filling direction seems to have an effect on the permeability of the fabrics studied. This is to be expected since these variations will affect the amount of material blocking the flow.

Variation of the weave pattern was expected to affect the air permeability of the fabrics. The data obtained and presented in Table VI do not indicate significant difference as a result of changing the weave pattern. The lack of consistency, e.g., sometimes the permeability of the satin is

greater than that of the twill and vice versa, may be an indication that other factors, such as nonuniformity in weaving the different samples, may have caused this lack of consistency.

The finishing of the cloth appears to have the greatest effect on air permeability of any of the many variables involved. This seems to be substantiated by the practice of textile manufacturers to control permeability of cloth by variation of the calendering load.

IX. RECOMMENDATIONS

The effect of elasticity of the fabric at higher-pressure differentials will probably have a marked effect on the air permeability. This will be determined in the experimental part of the high-pressure phase (up to 1400 inches of water) of this program.

It is recommended that a detailed study be made of the effect of varying the calender load on air permeability of these fabrics. This study could be conducted on the high-pressure permeometer used in this program. It would be necessary to have a manufacturer of parachute cloth prepare a single lot of cloth not only subjected to the same scouring and stretching processes, but also subjected to a controlled variation of the calender load per inch.

APPENDIX I
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APPENDIX II

TABLES

TABLE I
PHYSICAL AND TEXTILE PROPERTIES OF
GEORGIA TECH NYLON CLOTHS

| Fabric Number | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|-------|---------|--------|-------|---------|-----------|
| Width (Inches) | 32-1/2 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 31-1/2 | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| Construction: | Plain | Satin | Satin | Satin | Satin | Satin | Plain | Plain | Plain | Plain |
| Nominal | 70x40 | 70x80 | 70x80 | 70x60 | 70x50 | 70x40 | 70x90 | 70x80 | 70x70 | 70x60 |
| Finished | 77x44 | 75.5x91 | 75.5x75 | 76x63.5 | 76x55 | 77x43.5 | 80x94 | 78x88 | 78.5x73 | 78.5x64.5 |
| Warp Yarns: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denier | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 |
| Filaments | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Filling Yarns: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denier* | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 |
| Filaments | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Weight: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oz./Sq. Yard | 1.23 | 1.82 | 1.50 | 1.42 | 1.31 | 1.17 | 1.75 | 1.67 | 1.58 | 1.45 |
| Oz./Lin. Yard | 1.11 | 1.67 | 1.37 | 1.30 | 1.20 | 1.07 | 1.52 | 1.48 | 1.40 | 1.29 |
| Twist (T.P.I.): | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling "Z" | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 |
| Warp "Z" | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 |
| Elongation (%): | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling | 30 | 36.7 | 35.6 | 36.0 | 30 | 30.6 | 35 | 35.3 | 36.6 | 32 |
| Warp | 34.5 | 38.3 | 38 | 38.3 | 32 | 33.3 | 36.3 | 35.9 | 34 | 35 |
| Tensile: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling | 52 | 97 | 81 | 74 | 61 | 57 | 97 | 81 | 80 | 71 |
| Warp | 83 | 81 | 74 | 78 | 71 | 65 | 88 | 81 | 80 | 82 |

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TABLE I (Continued)
PHYSICAL AND TEXTILE PROPERTIES OF
GEORGIA TECH NYLON CLOTHS

| Fabric Number | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
|-------------------|---------|-------|---------|---------|-------|-----------|--------|----------|-----------|----------|
| Width (Inches) | 32-1/2 | 34 | 33-1/2 | 33-1/2 | 34 | 33-1/2 | 33-1/2 | 33-1/4 | 32-1/2 | 32-1/2 |
| Construction: | Plain | Twill | Twill | Twill | Twill | Twill | Twill | Plain | Plain | Plain |
| Nominal | 70x50 | 70x40 | 70x50 | 70x60 | 70x70 | 70x80 | 70x90 | 125x40 | 125x50 | 125x60 |
| Finished | 77x53.5 | 74x42 | 74.5x53 | 74.5x63 | 74x73 | 75.5x82.5 | 75x92 | 137.0x41 | 139.25x52 | 140.0x62 |
| Warp Yarns: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denier | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 74.73 | 43.61 | 43.61 | 43.61 |
| Filaments | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| Filling Yarns: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denier* | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 |
| Filaments | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Weight: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oz./Sq. Yard | 1.33 | 1.12 | 1.29 | 1.36 | 1.46 | 1.57 | 1.73 | 1.109 | 1.317 | 1.423 |
| Oz./Lin. Yard | 1.20 | 1.06 | 1.20 | 1.27 | 1.38 | 1.46 | 1.61 | 1.024 | 1.189 | 1.285 |
| Twist (T.P.I.): | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling "Z" | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 |
| Warp "Z" | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 9.8 | 9.8 | 9.8 |
| Elongation (%): | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling | 34.6 | 30 | 33.3 | 32.3 | 32.6 | 34.5 | 37 | 32.0 | 31.6 | 33.6 |
| Warp | 34.3 | 36 | 34.3 | 36.6 | 34.3 | 35.2 | 37.6 | 31.6 | 30 | 30 |
| Tensile: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling | 61 | 53 | 69 | 80 | 99 | 117 | 117 | 43 | 54 | 72 |
| Warp | 85 | 79 | 80 | 81 | 88 | 87 | 84 | 72 | 74 | 74 |

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PHYSICAL AND TEXTILE PROPERTIES OF
GEORGIA TECH NYLON CLOTHS

| Fabric Number | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
|-------------------|-------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------|-----------|
| Width (Inches) | 32-1/4 | 32-1/2 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 |
| Construction: | Plain | Plain | Satin | Satin | Satin | Satin |
| Nominal | 125x70 | 125x80 | 125x80 | 125x70 | 125x60 | 125x50 |
| Finished | 141.5x73.25 | 142.25x82.25 | 139.5x84.5 | 138.75x74.75 | 139x64 | 138.25x53 |
| Warp Yarns: | | | | | | |
| Denier | 43.61 | 43.61 | 43.61 | 43.61 | 43.61 | 43.61 |
| Filaments | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| Filling Yarns: | | | | | | |
| Denier * | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 |
| Filaments | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Weight: | | | | | | |
| Oz./Sq. Yard | 1.566 | 1.679 | 1.651 | 1.546 | 1.443 | 1.326 |
| Oz./Lin. Yard | 1.403 | 1.516 | 1.514 | 1.418 | 1.323 | 1.216 |
| Twist (T.P.I.): | | | | | | |
| Filling "Z" | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 |
| Warp "Z" | 9.8 | 9.8 | 9.8 | 9.8 | 9.8 | 9.8 |
| Elongation (%): | | | | | | |
| Filling | 35 | 37.3 | 36 | 34 | 33.6 | 35 |
| Warp | 28.3 | 30.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 |
| Tensile: | | | | | | |
| Filling | 83 | 100 | 105 | 93 | 81 | 67 |
| Warp | 74 | 73 | 83 | 82 | 87 | 82 |

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TABLE I (Continued)
PHYSICAL AND TEXTILE PROPERTIES OF
GEORGIA TECH NYLON CLOTHS

| Fabric Number | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 32 |
|-------------------|------------|----------|----------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| Width (Inches) | 33 | 32-1/2 | 32-1/2 | 32-1/2 | 32-1/2 | 32-1/2 |
| Construction: | Satin | Twill | Twill | Twill | Twill | Twill |
| Nominal | 125x40 | 125x40 | 125x50 | 125x60 | 125x70 | 125x80 |
| Finished | 137.5x42.5 | 139.5x42 | 140.0x52 | 141.5x63.75 | 141.5x72.25 | 143.5x83.5 |
| Warp Yarns: | | | | | | |
| Denier | 43.61 | 43.61 | 43.61 | 43.61 | 43.61 | 43.61 |
| Filaments | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| Filling Yarns: | | | | | | |
| Denier * | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 |
| Filaments | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Weight: | | | | | | |
| Oz./Sq. Yard | 1.210 | 1.231 | 1.337 | 1.446 | 1.577 | 1.697 |
| Oz./Lin. Yard | 1.110 | 1.112 | 1.207 | 1.306 | 1.424 | 1.532 |
| Twist (T.P.I.): | | | | | | |
| Filling "Z" | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 | .86 |
| Warp "Z" | 9.8 | 9.8 | 9.8 | 9.8 | 9.8 | 9.8 |
| Elongation (%): | | | | | | |
| Filling | 30 | 33.3 | 34 | 36.6 | 35 | 33.3 |
| Warp | 33.3 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 33.3 | 33.6 | 33.3 |
| Tensile: | | | | | | |
| Filling | 48 | 52 | 66 | 81 | 87 | 94 |
| Warp | 80 | 83 | 83 | 86 | 92 | 89 |

TABLE IA

PHYSICAL AND TEXTILE PROPERTIES OF
GEORGIA TECH UNFINISHED NYLON CLOTHS

| Fabric Number | 57 | 58 | 59 | 60 | 61 |
|-------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Width (Inches) | 35-3/8 | 36-1/4 | 35-7/8 | 36-5/8 | 36-3/8 |
| Construction: | Plain | Plain | Plain | Plain | Plain |
| Nominal | 125x40 | 125x50 | 125x60 | 125x70 | 125x80 |
| Actual | 128x41 | 125x50 | 126x61 | 126x71 | 126x83 |
| Warp Yarns: | | | | | |
| Denier | 45.28 | 45.28 | 45.28 | 45.28 | 45.28 |
| Filaments | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| Filling Yarns: | | | | | |
| Denier** | 73.92 | 73.92 | 73.92 | 73.92 | 73.92 |
| Filaments | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Weight: | | | | | |
| Oz./Sq. Yard | 1.124 | 1.205 | 1.328 | 1.390 | 1.530 |
| Oz./Lin. Yard | 1.109 | 1.213 | 1.323 | 1.415 | 1.546 |
| Twist (T.P.I.): | | | | | |
| Filling "Z" | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 |
| Warp "Z" | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.8 |
| Elongation (%): | | | | | |
| Filling | 19.5 | 19.5 | 22.3 | 24.1 | 21.4 |
| Warp | 20.5 | 20.4 | 21.7 | 21.1 | 22.8 |
| Tensile: | | | | | |
| Filling | 38.2 | 52.3 | 62.8 | 77.2 | 80.4 |
| Warp | 46.8 | 46.0 | 45.4 | 45.7 | 44.4 |

*Yarn measured 80.35 denier after finishing and at the time physical tests were made.

**Yarn measured 73.92 denier at the time physical tests were made.

TABLE II
PHYSICAL AND TEXTILE PROPERTIES OF
GEORGIA TECH ORLON CLOTHS

| Fabric Number | 33 | 34 | 35 | 36 | 37 | 38 | 39 | 40 | 41 | 42 | 43 | 44 |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| Width (Inches) | 34-3/4 | 34-5/8 | 34-1/4 | 34-1/4 | 34-1/4 | 34-7/8 | 35 | 34-3/4 | 35 | 34-7/8 | 35-1/8 | 35 |
| Construction: | Plain | Plain | Plain | Plain | Plain | Twill | Twill | Twill | Twill | Satin | Satin | Satin |
| Nominal | 100x40 | 100x50 | 100x60 | 100x70 | 100x70 | 100x40 | 100x50 | 100x60 | 100x40 | 100x50 | 100x60 | 100x70 |
| Finished | 102x41 | 102x51 | 104x61 | 103x70 | 103x70 | 102x40 | 102x51 | 103x61 | 102x40.5 | 100x52 | 101x60 | 102x70 |
| Warp Yarns: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denier | 79.55 | 79.55 | 79.55 | 79.55 | 79.55 | 79.55 | 79.55 | 79.55 | 79.55 | 79.55 | 79.55 | 79.55 |
| Filaments | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 |
| Filling Yarns: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denier | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 | 80.35 |
| Filaments | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 |
| Weight: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oz/Sq. Yard | 1.442 | 1.554 | 1.668 | 1.751 | 1.440 | 1.440 | 1.525 | 1.611 | 1.748 | 1.548 | 1.637 | 1.751 |
| Oz/Lin. Yard | 1.392 | 1.494 | 1.587 | 1.666 | 1.395 | 1.395 | 1.482 | 1.560 | 1.687 | 1.499 | 1.597 | 1.702 |
| Twist (T.P.I.): | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling "Z" | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 |
| Warp "Z" | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 |
| Elongation (%): | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling | 14 | 13.3 | 13.6 | 16 | 13.6 | 13.6 | 15.6 | 15 | 16.3 | 15 | 13.6 | 15 |
| Warp | 11.6 | 12.3 | 11.6 | 12.6 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12.3 | 11.6 | 12 | 12 |
| Tensile: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling | 31.3 | 36 | 40.2 | 36.4 | 25.4 | 25.4 | 34.8 | 38.5 | 41.5 | 30.2 | 39.3 | 43.8 |
| Warp | 51.9 | 46.5 | 53.4 | 49.2 | 48.3 | 48.3 | 53.1 | 50.2 | 52.6 | 50.4 | 56.2 | 52.1 |

TABLE III

PHYSICAL AND TEXTILE PROPERTIES OF
GEORGIA TECH DACRON CLOTHS

| Fabric Number | 45 | 46 | 47 | 48 | 49 | 50 | 51 | 52 | 53 | 54 | 55 | 56 |
|-------------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Width (Inches) | 32-1/16 | 32 | 32-1/8 | 32 | 32-1/16 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32-1/2 | 32-1/4 | 32 | 32 |
| Construction: | Plain | Plain | Plain | Plain | Twill | Twill | Twill | Twill | Satin | Satin | Satin | Satin |
| Nominal | 110x40 | 110x50 | 110x60 | 110x70 | 110x40 | 110x50 | 110x60 | 110x70 | 110x40 | 110x50 | 110x60 | 110x70 |
| Finished | 121x43.5 | 123x53 | 122x64 | 122x75 | 122x43 | 123x54 | 123x66 | 123x77 | 122x44 | 122x56 | 123x66 | 123x78 |
| Warp Yarns: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denier | 77.12 | 77.12 | 77.12 | 77.12 | 77.12 | 77.12 | 77.12 | 77.12 | 77.12 | 77.12 | 77.12 | 77.12 |
| Filaments | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Filling Yarns: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denier | 80.78 | 80.78 | 80.78 | 80.78 | 80.78 | 80.78 | 80.78 | 80.78 | 80.78 | 80.78 | 80.78 | 80.78 |
| Filaments | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Weight: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oz./Sq. Yard | 1.734 | 1.874 | 1.971 | 2.071 | 1.740 | 1.846 | 1.966 | 2.100 | 1.726 | 1.817 | 1.983 | 2.134 |
| Oz./Lin. Yard | 1.545 | 1.666 | 1.759 | 1.840 | 1.550 | 1.641 | 1.747 | 1.867 | 1.558 | 1.628 | 1.762 | 1.897 |
| Twist (T.P.I.): | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling "Z" | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 |
| Warp "Z" | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 |
| Elongation (%): | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling | 37.3 | 34 | 28.8 | 25 | 34 | 30.66 | 33.9 | 31.66 | 29.3 | 34 | 36.6 | 35.3 |
| Warp | 27.3 | 22.6 | 23.1 | 23.6 | 33.3 | 37 | 30.66 | 34 | 27 | 31 | 29.6 | 33 |
| Tensile: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Filling | 47.8 | 56.7 | 61.9 | 70.3 | 45 | 52.4 | 67 | 71.8 | 36.6 | 56 | 75.6 | 83.4 |
| Warp | 88.2 | 91 | 85.7 | 78.5 | 101.1 | 110.1 | 96.6 | 106.9 | 88 | 95.4 | 102.8 | 108 |

Summary of Experimental Results

In all tests a circular sample of cloth having an area of 0.2 square foot was used in the test apparatus; therefore, in order to calculate air flow through cloth (lbm sec.^{-1}) multiply the mass velocity of air upstream of the cloth by 0.2 square foot. The results presented subsequently are the average of nine samples taken from a given bolt of cloth nine inches in from the selvage edge.

TABLE IV
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth | Air Density Upstream of Cloth | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth | Relative Porosity of Cloth | Volumetric Velocity |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| (Inches Water) | (lbm ft.^{-3}) | ($\text{lbm sec.}^{-1}\text{ft.}^{-2}$) | (Per Cent) | (cfm ft.^{-2}) |
| GEORGIA TECH WOVEN FABRICS: | | | | |
| Fabric Number 1 (GT) | | | | |
| 16 | .0705 | 4.68 | 26.90 | 3820 |
| 13 | .0702 | 4.22 | 27.00 | 3454 |
| 11 | .0696 | 3.85 | 26.90 | 3160 |
| 9 | .0694 | 3.46 | 26.80 | 2848 |
| 7 | .0691 | 3.04 | 26.70 | 2505 |
| 5 | .0688 | 2.53 | 26.3 | 2087 |
| 4 | .0686 | 2.23 | 26.0 | 1846 |
| 3 | .0683 | 1.90 | 25.7 | 1577 |
| 2 | .0683 | 1.53 | 25.2 | 1265 |
| 1 | .0680 | 1.07 | 25.0 | 885 |
| .5 | .0680 | .75 | 24.7 | 619 |
| Fabric Number 2 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0772 | 2.24 | 6.63 | 1744 |
| 45 | .0753 | 1.98 | 6.57 | 1563 |
| 35 | .0737 | 1.70 | 6.47 | 1358 |
| 30 | .0729 | 1.55 | 6.38 | 1241 |
| 25 | .0721 | 1.38 | 6.28 | 1114 |
| 20 | .0713 | 1.21 | 6.16 | 979 |
| 15 | .0705 | 1.02 | 6.02 | 828 |
| 10 | .0694 | .80 | 5.87 | 658 |
| 7 | .0691 | .64 | 5.62 | 528 |
| 5 | .0686 | .50 | 5.16 | 410 |
| 3 | .0683 | .36 | 4.80 | 295 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 3 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0739 | 2.99 | 9.49 | 2381 |
| 40 | .0721 | 2.55 | 9.16 | 2055 |
| 30 | .0704 | 2.13 | 8.94 | 1739 |
| 25 | .0696 | 1.89 | 8.78 | 1558 |
| 20 | .0688 | 1.66 | 8.65 | 1372 |
| 15 | .0680 | 1.40 | 8.55 | 1168 |
| 10 | .0670 | 1.12 | 8.33 | 934 |
| 8 | .0668 | .98 | 8.23 | 826 |
| 6 | .0664 | .84 | 8.17 | 708 |
| 4 | .0661 | .67 | 8.02 | 569 |
| 2 | .0658 | -- | -- | -- |
| Fabric Number 4 (GT) | | | | |
| 45 | .0737 | 3.56 | 11.9 | 2844 |
| 35 | .0721 | 3.05 | 11.7 | 2460 |
| 30 | .0712 | 2.76 | 11.5 | 2238 |
| 25 | .0704 | 2.46 | 11.3 | 2010 |
| 20 | .0695 | 2.17 | 11.2 | 1788 |
| 15 | .0687 | 1.82 | 10.9 | 1500 |
| 10 | .0679 | 1.44 | 10.7 | 1200 |
| 8 | .0675 | 1.27 | 10.6 | 1062 |
| 6 | .0672 | 1.08 | 10.4 | 906 |
| 4 | .0669 | .87 | 10.3 | 728 |
| 2 | .0665 | .59 | 9.90 | 497 |
| Fabric Number 5 (GT) | | | | |
| 30 | .0715 | 4.42 | 18.4 | 3582 |
| 25 | .0707 | 3.97 | 18.2 | 3234 |
| 20 | .0699 | 3.45 | 17.9 | 2839 |
| 16 | .0694 | 3.03 | 17.6 | 2496 |
| 14 | .0688 | 2.80 | 17.4 | 2316 |
| 12 | .0686 | 2.56 | 17.2 | 2118 |
| 10 | .0683 | 2.31 | 17.1 | 1920 |
| 8 | .0680 | 2.03 | 16.8 | 1692 |
| 6 | .0675 | 1.72 | 16.5 | 1434 |
| 4 | .0672 | 1.37 | 16.1 | 1146 |
| 2 | .0669 | .93 | 15.5 | 774 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 6 (GT) | | | | |
| 16 | .0699 | 4.51 | 26.0 | 3696 |
| 14 | .0696 | 4.19 | 26.0 | 3444 |
| 12 | .0694 | 3.86 | 25.8 | 3174 |
| 10 | .0688 | 3.47 | 25.6 | 2868 |
| 8 | .0686 | 3.07 | 25.3 | 2538 |
| 6 | .0683 | 2.60 | 24.8 | 2160 |
| 5 | .0680 | 2.35 | 24.6 | 1956 |
| 4 | .0680 | 2.06 | 24.1 | 1716 |
| 3 | .0678 | 1.77 | 23.9 | 1470 |
| 2 | .0675 | 1.43 | 23.7 | 1194 |
| 1 | .0675 | 1.00 | 23.5 | 834 |
| Fabric Number 7 (GT) | | | | |
| 54 | .0755 | 1.02 | 3.09 | 804 |
| 48 | .0745 | .942 | 3.04 | 750 |
| 40 | .0732 | .832 | 2.97 | 666 |
| 34 | .0721 | .745 | 2.91 | 600 |
| 26 | .0708 | .623 | 2.81 | 508 |
| 20 | .0698 | .523 | 2.71 | 429 |
| 16 | .0691 | .440 | 2.56 | 363 |
| 12 | .0684 | .367 | 2.48 | 304 |
| 8 | .0678 | .278 | 2.30 | 232 |
| 4 | .0672 | .187 | 2.21 | 157 |
| 2 | .0668 | .120 | 2.01 | 101 |
| Fabric Number 8 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0754 | 1.21 | 3.81 | 955 |
| 45 | .0746 | 1.13 | 3.77 | 897 |
| 40 | .0738 | 1.05 | 3.70 | 838 |
| 35 | .0729 | .955 | 3.63 | 767 |
| 30 | .0721 | .865 | 3.59 | 698 |
| 25 | .0712 | .765 | 3.51 | 621 |
| 20 | .0703 | .665 | 3.44 | 544 |
| 15 | .0695 | .555 | 3.33 | 457 |
| 10 | .0687 | .417 | 3.06 | 345 |
| 7 | .0681 | .333 | 2.94 | 277 |
| 5 | .0678 | .282 | 2.97 | 238 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 9 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0754 | 1.90 | 5.97 | 1500 |
| 40 | .0738 | 1.64 | 5.87 | 1308 |
| 35 | .0729 | 1.56 | 5.75 | 1254 |
| 30 | .0721 | 1.36 | 5.74 | 1098 |
| 25 | .0712 | 1.21 | 5.54 | 984 |
| 20 | .0704 | 1.06 | 5.46 | 864 |
| 12 | .0690 | .770 | 5.18 | 636 |
| 8 | .0684 | .585 | 4.84 | 485 |
| 6 | .0680 | .478 | 4.58 | 398 |
| Fabric Number 10 (GT) | | | | |
| 46 | .0751 | 3.95 | 13.0 | 3126 |
| 40 | .0740 | 3.64 | 12.9 | 2898 |
| 32 | .0727 | 3.18 | 12.7 | 2556 |
| 26 | .0717 | 2.81 | 12.6 | 2280 |
| 20 | .0707 | 2.42 | 12.4 | 1974 |
| 16 | .0700 | 2.13 | 12.3 | 1746 |
| 12 | .0693 | 1.82 | 12.2 | 1500 |
| 8 | .0686 | 1.46 | 12.0 | 1206 |
| 6 | .0683 | 1.25 | 11.9 | 1038 |
| 4 | .0679 | 1.01 | 11.9 | 840 |
| 2 | .0676 | .699 | 11.6 | 583 |
| Fabric Number 11 (GT) | | | | |
| 24 | .0706 | 4.44 | 20.9 | 3626 |
| 20 | .0699 | 4.01 | 20.8 | 3287 |
| 16 | .0693 | 3.56 | 20.7 | 2935 |
| 14 | .0690 | 3.30 | 20.5 | 2725 |
| 12 | .0686 | 3.04 | 20.4 | 2515 |
| 10 | .0683 | 2.74 | 20.2 | 2273 |
| 8 | .0679 | 2.42 | 20.1 | 2014 |
| 6 | .0676 | 2.07 | 19.9 | 1725 |
| 4 | .0672 | 1.67 | 19.6 | 1396 |
| 2 | .0669 | 1.16 | 19.4 | 973 |
| 1 | .0668 | .810 | 19.3 | 680 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 12 (GT) | | | | |
| 16 | .0696 | 4.73 | 27.4 | 3887 |
| 14 | .0693 | 4.40 | 27.3 | 3626 |
| 12 | .0689 | 4.05 | 27.3 | 3347 |
| 10 | .0686 | 3.68 | 27.1 | 3046 |
| 8 | .0683 | 3.27 | 27.0 | 2714 |
| 6 | .0679 | 2.81 | 26.8 | 2338 |
| 5 | .0678 | 2.54 | 26.6 | 2117 |
| 4 | .0676 | 2.26 | 26.5 | 1883 |
| 3 | .0674 | 1.92 | 26.1 | 1604 |
| 2 | .0672 | 1.56 | 26.0 | 1304 |
| 1 | .0671 | 1.08 | 25.5 | 904 |
| Fabric Number 13 (GT) | | | | |
| 30 | .0713 | 4.59 | 19.2 | 3727 |
| 25 | .0705 | 4.17 | 19.1 | 3404 |
| 20 | .0696 | 3.69 | 19.1 | 3033 |
| 15 | .0688 | 3.16 | 18.9 | 2612 |
| 10 | .0679 | 2.54 | 18.8 | 2114 |
| 7 | .0674 | 2.09 | 18.5 | 1747 |
| 5 | .0669 | 1.74 | 18.3 | 1458 |
| 4 | .0669 | 1.56 | 18.4 | 1307 |
| 3 | .0668 | 1.34 | 18.3 | 1124 |
| 2 | .0666 | 1.09 | 18.3 | 916 |
| 1 | .0665 | .755 | 17.9 | 635 |
| Fabric Number 14 (GT) | | | | |
| 45 | .0743 | 3.96 | 13.2 | 3151 |
| 40 | .0735 | 3.70 | 13.2 | 2960 |
| 35 | .0726 | 3.42 | 13.1 | 2750 |
| 30 | .0718 | 3.16 | 13.2 | 2555 |
| 25 | .0709 | 2.82 | 13.0 | 2296 |
| 20 | .0701 | 2.49 | 12.8 | 2038 |
| 15 | .0693 | 2.11 | 12.6 | 1739 |
| 10 | .0684 | 1.69 | 12.4 | 1400 |
| 5 | .0676 | 1.17 | 12.3 | 975 |
| 3 | .0672 | .890 | 11.8 | 744 |
| 1 | .0669 | .505 | 12.0 | 423 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 15 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0754 | 3.22 | 10.1 | 2542 |
| 45 | .0745 | 3.02 | 10.1 | 2400 |
| 40 | .0737 | 2.82 | 10.0 | 2253 |
| 35 | .0728 | 2.62 | 10.0 | 2107 |
| 30 | .0720 | 2.40 | 9.96 | 1941 |
| 25 | .0711 | 2.15 | 9.86 | 1748 |
| 20 | .0703 | 1.90 | 9.75 | 1553 |
| 15 | .0695 | 1.60 | 9.56 | 1317 |
| 10 | .0686 | 1.28 | 9.42 | 1060 |
| 6 | .0680 | .975 | 9.32 | 811 |
| 2 | .0673 | .555 | 9.25 | 464 |
| Fabric Number 16 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0761 | 2.65 | 8.44 | 2081 |
| 45 | .0744 | 2.37 | 7.89 | 1883 |
| 35 | .0727 | 2.06 | 7.87 | 1657 |
| 30 | .0719 | 1.88 | 7.81 | 1520 |
| 25 | .0710 | 1.70 | 7.75 | 1382 |
| 20 | .0702 | 1.50 | 7.71 | 1228 |
| 15 | .0693 | 1.26 | 7.55 | 1039 |
| 10 | .0685 | .995 | 7.38 | 824 |
| 7 | .0680 | .815 | 7.21 | 678 |
| 5 | .0677 | .660 | 6.93 | 550 |
| 3 | .0673 | .505 | 6.86 | 422 |
| Fabric Number 17 (GT) | | | | |
| 45 | .0743 | 2.40 | 8.05 | 1910 |
| 40 | .0735 | 2.26 | 8.05 | 1808 |
| 35 | .0726 | 2.08 | 7.96 | 1673 |
| 30 | .0718 | 1.89 | 7.85 | 1528 |
| 25 | .0710 | 1.69 | 7.75 | 1374 |
| 20 | .0701 | 1.49 | 7.68 | 1220 |
| 15 | .0693 | 1.27 | 7.58 | 1047 |
| 10 | .0684 | 1.02 | 7.52 | 845 |
| 5 | .0676 | .700 | 7.39 | 583 |
| 3 | .0673 | .540 | 7.33 | 451 |
| 1 | .0669 | .310 | 7.31 | 260 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 18 (GT) | | | | |
| 35 | .0732 | 3.82 | 14.6 | 3064 |
| 30 | .0724 | 3.52 | 14.6 | 2839 |
| 25 | .0716 | 3.18 | 14.5 | 2578 |
| 20 | .0707 | 2.80 | 14.4 | 2282 |
| 15 | .0698 | 2.37 | 14.1 | 1945 |
| 10 | .0690 | 1.88 | 13.8 | 1552 |
| 7 | .0685 | 1.53 | 13.5 | 1268 |
| 5 | .0681 | 1.26 | 13.2 | 1047 |
| 3 | .0678 | .958 | 13.0 | 799 |
| 2 | .0676 | .772 | 12.8 | 643 |
| 1 | .0675 | .544 | 12.8 | 454 |
| Fabric Number 19 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0757 | 3.15 | 9.85 | 2480 |
| 45 | .0749 | 2.95 | 9.80 | 2338 |
| 40 | .0741 | 2.74 | 9.75 | 2183 |
| 35 | .0732 | 2.54 | 9.70 | 2038 |
| 30 | .0724 | 2.31 | 9.59 | 1863 |
| 25 | .0715 | 2.07 | 9.49 | 1678 |
| 20 | .0706 | 1.82 | 9.38 | 1486 |
| 15 | .0698 | 1.56 | 9.27 | 1280 |
| 10 | .0689 | 1.23 | 9.04 | 1016 |
| 5 | .0681 | .831 | 8.70 | 691 |
| 2 | .0679 | .544 | 9.05 | 453 |
| Fabric Number 20 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0758 | 2.50 | 7.47 | 1969 |
| 45 | .0741 | 2.17 | 7.24 | 1729 |
| 35 | .0725 | 1.87 | 7.17 | 1506 |
| 25 | .0708 | 1.54 | 7.07 | 1255 |
| 20 | .0699 | 1.35 | 6.95 | 1106 |
| 15 | .0691 | 1.13 | 6.78 | 932 |
| 10 | .0682 | .895 | 6.59 | 744 |
| 7 | .0677 | .730 | 6.50 | 608 |
| 5 | .0674 | .605 | 6.42 | 506 |
| 3 | .0670 | .472 | 6.43 | 395 |
| 1 | .0667 | .245 | 5.81 | 206 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
|---|---|---|--|--|

Fabric Number 21 (GT)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|------|
| 55 | .0759 | 1.71 | 5.12 | 1345 |
| 45 | .0742 | 1.52 | 5.08 | 1210 |
| 35 | .0725 | 1.30 | 5.00 | 1047 |
| 30 | .0717 | 1.18 | 4.92 | 955 |
| 25 | .0708 | 1.05 | 4.83 | 856 |
| 20 | .0700 | .925 | 4.75 | 758 |
| 15 | .0691 | .775 | 4.65 | 640 |
| 10 | .0683 | .605 | 4.47 | 502 |
| 7 | .0678 | .493 | 4.36 | 411 |
| 5 | .0675 | .405 | 4.25 | 338 |
| 3 | .0671 | .309 | 4.20 | 259 |

Fabric Number 22 (GT)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|------|
| 54 | .0763 | 1.48 | 4.45 | 1162 |
| 47 | .0751 | 1.35 | 4.37 | 1069 |
| 40 | .0739 | 1.21 | 4.30 | 965 |
| 34 | .0729 | 1.09 | 4.23 | 875 |
| 28 | .0719 | .965 | 4.16 | 781 |
| 22 | .0708 | .825 | 4.04 | 673 |
| 17 | .0700 | .705 | 3.95 | 578 |
| 13 | .0693 | .610 | 3.92 | 503 |
| 9 | .0687 | .491 | 3.82 | 406 |
| 6 | .0681 | .399 | 3.81 | 332 |
| 3 | .0676 | .291 | 3.45 | 243 |

Fabric Number 23 (GT)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|-----|
| 55 | .0767 | 1.19 | 3.52 | 931 |
| 50 | .0758 | 1.04 | 3.26 | 819 |
| 45 | .0750 | .970 | 3.25 | 768 |
| 40 | .0741 | .890 | 3.15 | 709 |
| 35 | .0733 | .805 | 3.08 | 645 |
| 30 | .0725 | .720 | 2.98 | 580 |
| 25 | .0716 | .640 | 2.90 | 519 |
| 20 | .0707 | .540 | 2.79 | 440 |
| 10 | .0691 | .348 | 2.51 | 287 |
| 5 | .0682 | .235 | 2.40 | 195 |
| 3 | .0680 | .180 | 2.40 | 150 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 24 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0766 | 1.63 | 4.86 | 1277 |
| 45 | .0749 | 1.42 | 4.70 | 1126 |
| 40 | .0740 | 1.30 | 4.60 | 1037 |
| 35 | .0732 | 1.19 | 4.53 | 955 |
| 30 | .0724 | 1.07 | 4.40 | 863 |
| 25 | .0715 | .945 | 4.30 | 766 |
| 20 | .0707 | .820 | 4.22 | 668 |
| 15 | .0698 | .675 | 4.02 | 554 |
| 10 | .0690 | .520 | 3.83 | 429 |
| 7 | .0685 | .410 | 3.62 | 340 |
| 5 | .0682 | .335 | 3.51 | 278 |
| Fabric Number 25 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0768 | 2.58 | 7.66 | 2018 |
| 45 | .0750 | 2.27 | 7.53 | 1797 |
| 35 | .0734 | 1.93 | 7.33 | 1544 |
| 30 | .0725 | 1.74 | 7.21 | 1402 |
| 25 | .0717 | 1.56 | 7.10 | 1263 |
| 20 | .0708 | 1.35 | 6.89 | 1100 |
| 15 | .0700 | 1.11 | 6.61 | 910 |
| 10 | .0691 | .855 | 6.28 | 706 |
| 7 | .0686 | .670 | 5.91 | 554 |
| 5 | .0683 | .535 | 5.60 | 444 |
| 3 | .0680 | .389 | 5.24 | 324 |
| Fabric Number 26 (GT) | | | | |
| 45 | .0753 | 3.61 | 12.0 | 2850 |
| 40 | .0744 | 3.33 | 11.8 | 2647 |
| 35 | .0736 | 3.03 | 11.5 | 2421 |
| 30 | .0727 | 2.74 | 11.3 | 2204 |
| 25 | .0719 | 2.43 | 11.1 | 1965 |
| 20 | .0711 | 2.10 | 10.8 | 1708 |
| 15 | .0702 | 1.76 | 10.5 | 1441 |
| 10 | .0694 | 1.38 | 10.2 | 1136 |
| 5 | .0685 | .922 | 9.65 | 764 |
| 3 | .0682 | .706 | 9.54 | 587 |
| 1 | .0679 | .410 | 9.49 | 341 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 27 (GT) | | | | |
| 30 | .0725 | 4.40 | 18.2 | 3544 |
| 26 | .0718 | 4.02 | 18.0 | 3251 |
| 22 | .0711 | 3.63 | 17.7 | 2951 |
| 18 | .0704 | 3.21 | 17.4 | 2624 |
| 14 | .0698 | 2.76 | 17.1 | 2266 |
| 10 | .0691 | 2.27 | 16.6 | 1873 |
| 8 | .0687 | 1.99 | 16.4 | 1647 |
| 6 | .0684 | 1.69 | 16.1 | 1400 |
| 4 | .0681 | 1.36 | 15.8 | 1130 |
| 2 | .0677 | .942 | 15.6 | 785 |
| 1 | .0676 | .661 | 15.5 | 551 |
| Fabric Number 28 (GT) | | | | |
| 34 | .0733 | 4.08 | 15.8 | 3268 |
| 28 | .0723 | 3.63 | 15.6 | 2927 |
| 24 | .0717 | 3.30 | 15.4 | 2672 |
| 20 | .0709 | 2.96 | 15.2 | 2410 |
| 16 | .0703 | 2.59 | 14.9 | 2117 |
| 12 | .0696 | 2.20 | 14.7 | 1806 |
| 10 | .0693 | 1.97 | 14.5 | 1624 |
| 8 | .0689 | 1.74 | 14.3 | 1438 |
| 6 | .0686 | 1.48 | 14.1 | 1225 |
| 4 | .0683 | 1.20 | 13.9 | 996 |
| 2 | .0679 | .835 | 13.4 | 695 |
| Fabric Number 29 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0762 | 3.39 | 10.6 | 2662 |
| 45 | .0752 | 3.15 | 10.5 | 2490 |
| 40 | .0744 | 2.94 | 10.4 | 2336 |
| 35 | .0736 | 2.71 | 10.3 | 2165 |
| 30 | .0727 | 2.45 | 10.1 | 1970 |
| 25 | .0719 | 2.19 | 9.96 | 1771 |
| 20 | .0711 | 1.91 | 9.77 | 1553 |
| 15 | .0702 | 1.61 | 9.76 | 1318 |
| 10 | .0694 | 1.29 | 9.42 | 1062 |
| 5 | .0685 | .890 | 9.30 | 737 |
| 3 | .0682 | .690 | 9.31 | 573 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 30 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0765 | 2.31 | 6.88 | 1810 |
| 45 | .0748 | 2.04 | 6.78 | 1617 |
| 35 | .0731 | 1.75 | 6.66 | 1404 |
| 30 | .0723 | 1.58 | 6.58 | 1274 |
| 25 | .0714 | 1.42 | 6.45 | 1151 |
| 20 | .0706 | 1.24 | 6.36 | 1012 |
| 15 | .0698 | 1.02 | 6.07 | 837 |
| 10 | .0689 | .795 | 5.87 | 657 |
| 7 | .0684 | .645 | 5.74 | 535 |
| 5 | .0681 | .520 | 5.46 | 432 |
| 3 | .0677 | .394 | 5.32 | 328 |
| Fabric Number 31 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0757 | 1.70 | 5.35 | 1340 |
| 45 | .0749 | 1.59 | 5.28 | 1260 |
| 40 | .0741 | 1.47 | 5.23 | 1175 |
| 35 | .0732 | 1.35 | 5.15 | 1083 |
| 30 | .0724 | 1.21 | 5.02 | 977 |
| 25 | .0715 | 1.07 | 4.91 | 871 |
| 20 | .0707 | .946 | 4.86 | 771 |
| 15 | .0698 | .789 | 4.71 | 647 |
| 12 | .0693 | .692 | 4.64 | 570 |
| 8 | .0686 | .548 | 4.54 | 454 |
| 4 | .0680 | .381 | 4.46 | 317 |
| Fabric Number 32 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0764 | 1.24 | 3.70 | 975 |
| 50 | .0756 | 1.17 | 3.66 | 922 |
| 45 | .0747 | 1.08 | 3.61 | 860 |
| 40 | .0739 | 1.00 | 3.56 | 799 |
| 35 | .0731 | .919 | 3.51 | 737 |
| 30 | .0722 | .824 | 3.41 | 665 |
| 25 | .0714 | .732 | 3.35 | 594 |
| 20 | .0705 | .621 | 3.19 | 507 |
| 15 | .0697 | .522 | 3.12 | 428 |
| 10 | .0688 | .401 | 2.95 | 331 |
| 5 | .0680 | .272 | 2.85 | 226 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 33 (GT) | | | | |
| 32 | .0726 | 3.90 | 15.6 | 3137 |
| 28 | .0719 | 3.60 | 15.5 | 2911 |
| 24 | .0712 | 3.30 | 15.4 | 2679 |
| 20 | .0705 | 2.97 | 15.3 | 2425 |
| 16 | .0699 | 2.63 | 15.2 | 2166 |
| 12 | .0692 | 2.25 | 15.1 | 1855 |
| 8 | .0685 | 1.82 | 15.0 | 1508 |
| 4 | .0679 | 1.30 | 15.3 | 1082 |
| 2 | .0675 | .930 | 15.5 | 776 |
| Fabric Number 34 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0752 | 3.05 | 9.59 | 2411 |
| 45 | .0743 | 2.87 | 9.61 | 2284 |
| 35 | .0727 | 2.49 | 9.56 | 2003 |
| 25 | .0710 | 2.08 | 9.53 | 1692 |
| 20 | .0701 | 1.84 | 9.49 | 1506 |
| 15 | .0693 | 1.58 | 9.45 | 1302 |
| 10 | .0684 | 1.27 | 9.38 | 1052 |
| 7 | .0679 | 1.06 | 9.37 | 882 |
| 5 | .0676 | .890 | 9.35 | 742 |
| 3 | .0673 | .690 | 9.42 | 577 |
| 1 | .0670 | .409 | 9.65 | 342 |
| Fabric Number 35 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0774 | 1.91 | 5.66 | 1489 |
| 45 | .0756 | 1.70 | 5.62 | 1340 |
| 35 | .0741 | 1.47 | 5.58 | -- |
| 30 | .0732 | 1.35 | 5.57 | 1083 |
| 25 | .0724 | 1.21 | 5.50 | 976 |
| 20 | .0715 | 1.07 | 5.43 | 868 |
| 15 | .0707 | .895 | 5.30 | 730 |
| 10 | .0698 | .715 | 5.25 | 587 |
| 7 | .0693 | .575 | 4.89 | 474 |
| 5 | .0690 | .495 | 5.14 | 408 |
| 3 | .0687 | .377 | 5.09 | 312 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 36 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0761 | 1.07 | 2.81 | 841 |
| 45 | .0744 | .950 | 2.83 | 755 |
| 40 | .0736 | .885 | 2.88 | 707 |
| 35 | .0727 | .810 | 2.93 | 652 |
| 30 | .0719 | .745 | 2.99 | 602 |
| 25 | .0710 | .665 | 3.03 | 541 |
| 20 | .0702 | .580 | 3.10 | 475 |
| 15 | .0693 | .489 | 3.12 | 403 |
| 10 | .0685 | .390 | 3.14 | 323 |
| 7 | .0680 | .319 | 3.16 | 265 |
| 5 | .0677 | .268 | 3.19 | 223 |
| Fabric Number 37 (GT) | | | | |
| 40 | .0737 | 3.51 | 12.5 | 2804 |
| 35 | .0729 | 3.23 | 12.4 | 2594 |
| 30 | .0720 | 2.95 | 12.2 | 2386 |
| 25 | .0712 | 2.66 | 12.2 | 2159 |
| 20 | .0703 | 2.34 | 12.1 | 1913 |
| 15 | .0695 | 1.99 | 11.9 | 1638 |
| 10 | .0687 | 1.60 | 11.8 | 1324 |
| 7 | .0681 | 1.33 | 11.7 | 1105 |
| 5 | .0678 | 1.12 | 11.7 | 934 |
| 3 | .0675 | .850 | 11.6 | 709 |
| 1 | .0672 | .505 | 11.9 | 422 |
| Fabric Number 38 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0751 | 2.65 | 8.33 | 2098 |
| 45 | .0742 | 2.49 | 8.31 | 1981 |
| 35 | .0725 | 2.14 | 8.19 | 1723 |
| 30 | .0721 | 1.96 | 8.12 | 1583 |
| 25 | .0708 | 1.75 | 8.02 | 1427 |
| 20 | .0701 | 1.53 | 7.91 | 1252 |
| 15 | .0692 | 1.28 | 7.69 | 1055 |
| 10 | .0683 | 1.01 | 7.46 | 838 |
| 7 | .0678 | .830 | 7.37 | 692 |
| 5 | .0675 | .690 | 7.24 | 576 |
| 3 | .0672 | .530 | 7.23 | 443 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 39 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0752 | 1.70 | 5.12 | 1344 |
| 45 | .0735 | 1.51 | 5.08 | 1208 |
| 35 | .0718 | 1.29 | 4.95 | 1043 |
| 30 | .0710 | 1.18 | 4.92 | 959 |
| 25 | .0702 | 1.05 | 4.81 | 859 |
| 20 | .0693 | .910 | 4.72 | 750 |
| 15 | .0685 | .765 | 4.62 | 634 |
| 10 | .0676 | .600 | 4.47 | 500 |
| 7 | .0671 | .487 | 4.35 | 408 |
| 5 | .0668 | .406 | 4.27 | 341 |
| 3 | .0665 | .320 | 4.37 | 269 |
| Fabric Number 40 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0757 | 1.27 | 3.79 | 1000 |
| 50 | .0749 | 1.19 | 3.77 | 943 |
| 45 | .0740 | 1.12 | 3.73 | 893 |
| 40 | .0732 | 1.03 | 3.67 | 826 |
| 35 | .0724 | .955 | 3.65 | 770 |
| 30 | .0715 | .870 | 3.63 | 706 |
| 25 | .0707 | .780 | 3.58 | 636 |
| 20 | .0699 | .675 | 3.49 | 553 |
| 15 | .0690 | .560 | 3.35 | 462 |
| 10 | .0682 | .438 | 3.24 | 364 |
| 5 | .0673 | .278 | 2.92 | 232 |
| Fabric Number 41 (GT) | | | | |
| 30 | .0720 | 3.84 | 16.0 | 3113 |
| 27 | .0715 | 3.62 | 15.9 | 2935 |
| 24 | .0710 | 3.37 | 15.8 | 2748 |
| 21 | .0705 | 3.13 | 15.7 | 2555 |
| 18 | .0699 | 2.86 | 15.6 | 2344 |
| 15 | .0694 | 2.59 | 15.5 | 2132 |
| 12 | .0689 | 2.29 | 15.4 | 1892 |
| 9 | .0685 | 1.96 | 15.3 | 1633 |
| 6 | .0679 | 1.60 | 15.3 | 1331 |
| 4 | .0676 | 1.29 | 15.2 | 1084 |
| 2 | .0672 | .915 | 15.2 | 764 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 42 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0757 | 3.18 | 9.51 | 2500 |
| 50 | .0749 | 2.96 | 9.34 | 2342 |
| 45 | .0740 | 2.77 | 9.28 | 2210 |
| 40 | .0732 | 2.58 | 9.24 | 2078 |
| 35 | .0724 | 2.30 | 9.10 | 1911 |
| 30 | .0715 | 2.17 | 9.06 | 1759 |
| 25 | .0707 | 1.95 | 8.97 | 1589 |
| 20 | .0698 | 1.72 | 8.86 | 1412 |
| 15 | .0690 | 1.46 | 8.79 | 1213 |
| 10 | .0682 | 1.17 | 8.65 | 972 |
| 5 | .0673 | .810 | 8.54 | 677 |
| Fabric Number 43 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0750 | 2.13 | 6.40 | 1686 |
| 50 | .0742 | 2.01 | 6.36 | 1600 |
| 45 | .0733 | 1.89 | 6.34 | 1514 |
| 40 | .0725 | 1.75 | 6.28 | 1409 |
| 35 | .0717 | 1.62 | 6.21 | 1312 |
| 30 | .0709 | 1.48 | 6.19 | 1205 |
| 25 | .0700 | 1.33 | 6.14 | 1090 |
| 20 | .0692 | 1.17 | 6.06 | 964 |
| 15 | .0684 | .985 | 5.94 | 816 |
| 10 | .0675 | .795 | 5.94 | 664 |
| 5 | .0667 | .540 | 5.71 | 453 |
| Fabric Number 44 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0746 | 1.70 | 5.14 | 1349 |
| 50 | .0738 | 1.61 | 5.10 | 1286 |
| 45 | .0729 | 1.51 | 5.08 | 1213 |
| 40 | .0721 | 1.40 | 5.05 | 1130 |
| 35 | .0713 | 1.30 | 5.01 | 1055 |
| 30 | .0705 | 1.18 | 4.96 | 963 |
| 25 | .0696 | 1.06 | 4.88 | 871 |
| 20 | .0688 | .925 | 4.82 | 764 |
| 15 | .0680 | .795 | 4.82 | 662 |
| 10 | .0672 | .605 | 4.53 | 506 |
| 5 | .0664 | .455 | 4.82 | 383 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 45 (GT) | | | | |
| 35 | .0721 | 3.95 | 14.7 | 3190 |
| 30 | .0712 | 3.50 | 14.6 | 2842 |
| 25 | .0705 | 3.21 | 14.7 | 2620 |
| 20 | .0696 | 2.84 | 14.7 | 2334 |
| 15 | .0689 | 2.45 | 14.6 | 2025 |
| 10 | .0680 | 1.98 | 14.6 | 1648 |
| 7 | .0675 | 1.65 | 14.6 | 1377 |
| 3 | .0671 | 1.05 | 14.2 | 878 |
| Fabric Number 46 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0758 | 3.20 | 10.4 | 2543 |
| 45 | .0749 | 3.03 | 10.3 | 2410 |
| 40 | .0748 | 2.84 | 10.2 | 2271 |
| 35 | .0732 | 2.65 | 10.2 | 2134 |
| 30 | .0724 | 2.46 | 10.2 | 1994 |
| 25 | .0715 | 2.26 | 10.3 | 1841 |
| 20 | .0707 | 1.97 | 10.2 | 1614 |
| 15 | .0699 | 1.71 | 10.2 | 1410 |
| 10 | .0690 | 1.38 | 10.2 | 1147 |
| 7 | .0685 | 1.15 | 10.1 | 970 |
| 3 | .0679 | .760 | 10.1 | 641 |
| Fabric Number 47 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0758 | 2.25 | 7.06 | 1772 |
| 45 | .0748 | 2.13 | 7.11 | 1688 |
| 40 | .0741 | 2.00 | 7.11 | 1594 |
| 35 | .0732 | 1.88 | 7.15 | 1484 |
| 30 | .0724 | 1.71 | 7.11 | 1379 |
| 25 | .0715 | 1.57 | 7.18 | 1273 |
| 20 | .0707 | 1.41 | 7.21 | 1150 |
| 15 | .0699 | 1.21 | 7.21 | 992 |
| 10 | .0690 | .980 | 7.21 | 809 |
| 7 | .0685 | .825 | 7.28 | 684 |
| 3 | .0679 | .550 | 7.45 | 458 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 48 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0758 | 1.57 | 4.90 | 1236 |
| 45 | .0749 | 1.47 | 4.88 | 1165 |
| 40 | .0741 | 1.39 | 4.95 | 1108 |
| 35 | .0732 | 1.28 | 4.90 | 1027 |
| 30 | .0724 | 1.19 | 4.94 | 959 |
| 25 | .0716 | 1.08 | 4.96 | 876 |
| 20 | .0706 | .965 | 4.90 | 788 |
| 15 | .0698 | .831 | 4.95 | 682 |
| 10 | .0689 | .675 | 4.81 | 558 |
| 7 | .0684 | .565 | 4.98 | 468 |
| 3 | .0678 | .379 | 5.14 | 316 |
| Fabric Number 49 (GT) | | | | |
| 35 | .0732 | 4.22 | 16.1 | 3385 |
| 30 | .0724 | 3.88 | 16.1 | 3129 |
| 25 | .0715 | 3.54 | 16.1 | 2870 |
| 20 | .0706 | 3.13 | 16.0 | 2555 |
| 15 | .0698 | 2.69 | 16.0 | 2208 |
| 10 | .0694 | 2.18 | 15.9 | 1794 |
| 7 | .0684 | 1.80 | 15.9 | 1492 |
| 3 | .0678 | 1.15 | 15.7 | 958 |
| Fabric Number 50 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0771 | 3.38 | 10.5 | 2641 |
| 45 | .0762 | 3.19 | 10.5 | 2505 |
| 40 | .0753 | 2.98 | 10.5 | 2353 |
| 35 | .0745 | 2.77 | 10.5 | 2201 |
| 30 | .0736 | 2.56 | 10.6 | 2045 |
| 25 | .0727 | 2.33 | 10.6 | 1874 |
| 20 | .0719 | 2.08 | 10.6 | 1682 |
| 15 | .0715 | 1.79 | 10.6 | 1451 |
| 10 | .0702 | 1.45 | 10.6 | 1187 |
| 7 | .0696 | 1.21 | 10.6 | 995 |
| 3 | .0690 | .795 | 10.7 | 656 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 51 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0756 | 2.26 | 7.10 | 1782 |
| 45 | .0749 | 2.13 | 7.07 | 1688 |
| 40 | .0740 | 1.99 | 7.07 | 1588 |
| 35 | .0732 | 1.86 | 7.09 | 1492 |
| 30 | .0723 | 1.70 | 7.07 | 1371 |
| 25 | .0715 | 1.55 | 7.04 | 1257 |
| 20 | .0706 | 1.38 | 7.07 | 1127 |
| 15 | .0697 | 1.18 | 7.00 | 968 |
| 10 | .0689 | .950 | 6.98 | 785 |
| 7 | .0684 | .790 | 6.98 | 655 |
| 3 | .0677 | .495 | 6.71 | 413 |
| Fabric Number 52 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0762 | 1.37 | 4.29 | 1076 |
| 45 | .0753 | 1.28 | 4.25 | 1010 |
| 40 | .0745 | 1.20 | 4.24 | 953 |
| 35 | .0736 | 1.13 | 4.29 | 903 |
| 30 | .0728 | 1.04 | 4.28 | 836 |
| 25 | .0719 | .935 | 4.19 | 756 |
| 20 | .0711 | .835 | 4.28 | 679 |
| 15 | .0702 | .720 | 4.28 | 589 |
| 10 | .0694 | .580 | 4.25 | 477 |
| 7 | .0689 | .477 | 4.19 | 394 |
| 3 | .0682 | .319 | 4.30 | 265 |
| Fabric Number 53 (GT) | | | | |
| 30 | .0737 | 4.67 | 19.2 | 3731 |
| 25 | .0729 | 4.20 | 19.0 | 3373 |
| 20 | .0720 | 3.69 | 18.8 | 2987 |
| 17 | .0714 | 3.36 | 18.7 | 2725 |
| 15 | .0711 | 3.14 | 18.6 | 2553 |
| 13 | .0708 | 2.91 | 18.5 | 2372 |
| 10 | .0703 | 2.52 | 18.4 | 2060 |
| 7 | .0697 | 2.08 | 18.2 | 1707 |
| 5 | .0694 | 1.75 | 18.1 | 1441 |
| 3 | .0691 | 1.35 | 18.1 | 1114 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 54 (GT) | | | | |
| 40 | .0751 | 3.58 | 12.6 | 2835 |
| 35 | .0743 | 3.30 | 12.5 | 2625 |
| 30 | .0734 | 3.02 | 12.4 | 2418 |
| 25 | .0725 | 2.71 | 12.3 | 2183 |
| 20 | .0716 | 2.40 | 12.2 | 1946 |
| 15 | .0708 | 2.04 | 12.2 | 1662 |
| 10 | .0700 | 1.64 | 12.0 | 1343 |
| 7 | .0694 | 1.36 | 11.9 | 1120 |
| 3 | .0686 | .852 | 11.4 | 705 |
| Fabric Number 55 (GT) | | | | |
| 50 | .0764 | 2.82 | 8.82 | 2210 |
| 45 | .0756 | 2.65 | 8.77 | 2090 |
| 40 | .0747 | 2.46 | 8.69 | 1950 |
| 35 | .0739 | 2.28 | 8.67 | 1820 |
| 30 | .0730 | 2.08 | 8.58 | 1670 |
| 25 | .0722 | 1.89 | 8.58 | 1525 |
| 20 | .0713 | 1.67 | 8.51 | 1357 |
| 15 | .0704 | 1.42 | 8.49 | 1161 |
| 10 | .0696 | 1.15 | 8.40 | 945 |
| 5 | .0688 | .810 | 8.40 | 669 |
| 3 | .0684 | .620 | 8.32 | 514 |
| Fabric Number 56 (GT) | | | | |
| 55 | .0771 | 1.47 | 4.34 | 1148 |
| 50 | .0763 | 1.38 | 4.34 | 1084 |
| 45 | .0754 | 1.30 | 4.31 | 1025 |
| 40 | .0746 | 1.21 | 4.25 | 961 |
| 35 | .0737 | 1.11 | 4.22 | 886 |
| 30 | .0729 | 1.02 | 4.17 | 819 |
| 25 | .0720 | .920 | 4.20 | 744 |
| 20 | .0711 | .810 | 4.12 | 659 |
| 15 | .0703 | .690 | 4.10 | 564 |
| 10 | .0694 | .560 | 4.10 | 461 |
| 5 | .0686 | .394 | 4.12 | 326 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 57 (GT) | | | | |
| 18 | .0717 | 4.77 | 25.6 | 3860 |
| 16 | .0714 | 4.45 | 25.5 | 3610 |
| 14 | .0710 | 4.14 | 25.2 | 3370 |
| 12 | .0706 | 3.80 | 25.3 | 3105 |
| 10 | .0703 | 3.46 | 25.2 | 2830 |
| 8 | .0700 | 3.07 | 25.1 | 2515 |
| 6 | .0696 | 2.64 | 25.1 | 2170 |
| 4 | .0693 | 2.15 | 24.9 | 1771 |
| 3 | .0691 | 1.86 | 25.0 | 1535 |
| 2 | .0689 | 1.51 | 24.8 | 1246 |
| 1 | .0688 | 1.07 | 24.6 | 885 |
| Fabric Number 58 (GT) | | | | |
| 30 | .0733 | 4.53 | 18.7 | 3630 |
| 25 | .0725 | 4.12 | 18.7 | 3320 |
| 20 | .0716 | 3.67 | 18.8 | 2975 |
| 15 | .0707 | 3.15 | 18.7 | 2568 |
| 10 | .0699 | 2.54 | 18.4 | 2080 |
| 7 | .0694 | 2.12 | 18.5 | 1745 |
| 3 | .0687 | 1.39 | 18.6 | 1150 |
| Fabric Number 59 (GT) | | | | |
| 35 | .0737 | 3.77 | 14.3 | 3010 |
| 30 | .0729 | 3.46 | 14.3 | 2780 |
| 25 | .0720 | 3.12 | 14.2 | 2525 |
| 20 | .0711 | 2.76 | 14.2 | 2245 |
| 15 | .0703 | 2.37 | 14.1 | 1940 |
| 10 | .0694 | 1.93 | 14.1 | 1590 |
| 7 | .0689 | 1.60 | 14.1 | 1320 |
| 3 | .0683 | 1.10 | 14.7 | 913 |
| Fabric Number 60 (GT) | | | | |
| 45 | .0755 | 3.29 | 10.9 | 2595 |
| 40 | .0747 | 3.06 | 10.8 | 2430 |
| 35 | .0738 | 2.82 | 10.7 | 2250 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth | Air Density Upstream of Cloth | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth | Relative Porosity of Cloth | Volumetric Velocity |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (Inches Water) | (lbm ft. ⁻³) | (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | (Per Cent) | (cfm ft. ⁻²) |

Fabric Number 60 (GT) (Continued)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|------|
| 30 | .0730 | 2.57 | 10.6 | 2060 |
| 25 | .0721 | 2.30 | 10.4 | 1860 |
| 20 | .0712 | 2.02 | 10.4 | 1640 |
| 15 | .0704 | 1.72 | 10.2 | 1407 |
| 10 | .0696 | 1.50 | 11.0 | 1232 |
| 7 | .0690 | 1.15 | 10.5 | 949 |
| 3 | .0683 | .755 | 10.1 | 627 |

Fabric Number 61 (GT)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|------|
| 50 | .0768 | 2.50 | 7.81 | 1955 |
| 45 | .0760 | 2.36 | 7.77 | 1858 |
| 40 | .0751 | 2.20 | 7.76 | 1740 |
| 35 | .0742 | 2.04 | 7.72 | 1615 |
| 30 | .0734 | 1.87 | 7.70 | 1497 |
| 25 | .0725 | 1.69 | 7.66 | 1362 |
| 20 | .0716 | 1.49 | 7.54 | 1210 |
| 15 | .0708 | 1.27 | 7.54 | 1035 |
| 10 | .0699 | .965 | 7.05 | 791 |
| 7 | .0694 | .816 | 7.12 | 673 |
| 3 | .0687 | .444 | 5.97 | 367 |

AIR FORCE FURNISHED FABRICS:

Fabric Number 1 (ES-1)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|------|
| 50 | .0753 | 2.44 | 7.7 | 1927 |
| 40 | .0737 | 2.1 | 7.5 | 1678 |
| 30 | .0721 | 1.74 | 7.2 | 1405 |
| 20 | .0702 | 1.34 | 6.86 | 1097 |
| 15 | .0694 | 1.11 | 6.64 | 914 |
| 10 | .0686 | .85 | 6.3 | 703 |
| 9 | .0683 | .8 | 6.23 | 662 |
| 8 | .0683 | .74 | 6.10 | 614 |
| 7 | .0680 | .68 | 6.04 | 564 |
| 6 | .0680 | .61 | 5.88 | 508 |
| 5 | .0678 | .54 | 5.68 | 450 |
| 4 | .0675 | .467 | 5.47 | 392 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
|---|---|---|--|--|

Fabric Number 2 (ES-2)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|------|
| 50 | .0756 | 2.37 | 7.4 | 1869 |
| 40 | .0740 | 2.04 | 7.24 | 1628 |
| 30 | .0724 | 1.7 | 7.04 | 1371 |
| 20 | .0707 | 1.31 | 6.68 | 1068 |
| 15 | .0696 | 1.08 | 6.43 | 888 |
| 10 | .0688 | .84 | 6.15 | 690 |
| 9 | .0688 | .725 | 5.63 | 603 |
| 8 | .0686 | .72 | 5.93 | 596 |
| 7 | .0685 | .655 | 5.76 | 546 |
| 6 | .0683 | .60 | 5.72 | 498 |
| 5 | .068 | .535 | 5.51 | 448 |
| 4 | .068 | .458 | 5.36 | 383 |

Fabric Number 3 (ES-3)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|------|
| 50 | .075 | 2.53 | 8.04 | 2002 |
| 40 | .0734 | 2.19 | 7.82 | 1752 |
| 30 | .0718 | 1.85 | 7.73 | 1499 |
| 20 | .0704 | 1.45 | 7.48 | 1185 |
| 15 | .0694 | 1.23 | 7.31 | 1013 |
| 10 | .0685 | .975 | 7.19 | 812 |
| 9 | .0685 | .923 | 7.20 | 762 |
| 8 | .0680 | .858 | 7.11 | 716 |
| 7 | .0680 | .80 | 7.10 | 666 |
| 6 | .0680 | .735 | 7.02 | 616 |
| 5 | .0675 | .635 | 6.93 | 534 |
| 4 | .0675 | .590 | 6.93 | 492 |
| 3 | .0671 | .498 | 6.78 | 419 |

Fabric Number 4 (ES-4)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|------|
| 50 | .0758 | 1.83 | 5.73 | 1441 |
| 40 | .0741 | 1.59 | 5.61 | 1267 |
| 30 | .0724 | 1.33 | 5.48 | 1073 |
| 20 | .0707 | 1.05 | 5.36 | 856 |
| 15 | .0698 | .880 | 5.27 | 722 |
| 10 | .069 | .685 | 5.04 | 570 |
| 9 | .0688 | .640 | 4.97 | 529 |
| 8 | .0687 | .600 | 4.95 | 496 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 4 (ES-4) (Continued) | | | | |
| 7 | .0685 | .550 | 4.86 | 456 |
| 6 | .0684 | .500 | 4.76 | 414 |
| 5 | .0681 | .445 | 4.67 | 374 |
| 4 | .068 | .390 | 4.59 | 325 |
| 3 | .0678 | .337 | 4.56 | 283 |
| Fabric Number 5 (ES-5) | | | | |
| 50 | .0755 | 2.11 | 6.67 | 1664 |
| 40 | .0738 | 1.83 | 6.52 | 1463 |
| 30 | .0721 | 1.53 | 6.38 | 1236 |
| 20 | .0704 | 1.21 | 6.28 | 989 |
| 15 | .0695 | 1.02 | 6.14 | 840 |
| 10 | .0687 | .801 | 5.92 | 662 |
| 9 | .0685 | .755 | 5.85 | 630 |
| 8 | .0684 | .70 | 5.82 | 580 |
| 7 | .0682 | .645 | 5.72 | 539 |
| 6 | .068 | .585 | 5.58 | 491 |
| 5 | .0678 | .524 | 5.52 | 433 |
| 4 | .0677 | .465 | 5.45 | 392 |
| 3 | .0675 | .393 | 5.40 | 325 |
| Fabric Number 6 (ES-6) | | | | |
| 50 | .0753 | 3.77 | 11.8 | 2977 |
| 40 | .0737 | 3.29 | 11.7 | 2629 |
| 30 | .0721 | 2.78 | 11.5 | 2245 |
| 20 | .0702 | 2.20 | 11.3 | 1800 |
| 15 | .0694 | 1.88 | 11.3 | 1548 |
| 10 | .0686 | 1.51 | 11.1 | 1249 |
| 9 | .0683 | 1.42 | 11.0 | 1178 |
| 8 | .0683 | 1.33 | 11.0 | 1104 |
| 7 | .068 | 1.24 | 11.0 | 1032 |
| 6 | .068 | 1.14 | 10.9 | 949 |
| 5 | .0678 | 1.04 | 11.0 | 867 |
| 4 | .0675 | .920 | 10.9 | 768 |
| 3 | .0675 | .790 | 10.7 | 659 |
| 2 | .0672 | .630 | 10.5 | 527 |
| 1 | .0669 | .427 | 10.1 | 360 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 7 (ES-7) | | | | |
| 50 | .075 | 2.40 | 7.58 | 1899 |
| 40 | .0734 | 2.05 | 7.29 | 1640 |
| 30 | .0718 | 1.72 | 7.16 | 1393 |
| 20 | .0704 | 1.34 | 6.88 | 1095 |
| 15 | .0694 | 1.11 | 6.62 | 914 |
| 10 | .0685 | .855 | 6.33 | 708 |
| 9 | .0685 | .800 | 6.26 | 663 |
| 8 | .068 | .745 | 6.15 | 621 |
| 7 | .068 | .685 | 6.03 | 572 |
| 6 | .068 | .625 | 6.00 | 522 |
| 5 | .0625 | .525 | 5.74 | 441 |
| 4 | .0678 | .473 | 5.57 | 392 |
| 3 | .0671 | .409 | 5.58 | 343 |
| Fabric Number 8 (ES-8) | | | | |
| 50 | .0754 | 4.53 | 14.3 | 3577 |
| 40 | .0738 | 3.93 | 13.9 | 3141 |
| 30 | .0721 | 3.31 | 13.8 | 2673 |
| 20 | .0703 | 2.59 | 14.1 | 2117 |
| 15 | .0695 | 2.19 | 13.1 | 1803 |
| 10 | .0687 | 1.73 | 12.7 | 1431 |
| 9 | .0685 | 1.63 | 12.6 | 1351 |
| 8 | .0683 | 1.52 | 12.6 | 1261 |
| 7 | .0681 | 1.41 | 12.5 | 1180 |
| 6 | .068 | 1.29 | 12.3 | 1074 |
| 5 | .0678 | 1.17 | 12.2 | 975 |
| 4 | .0677 | 1.02 | 11.9 | 850 |
| 3 | .0675 | .87 | 11.8 | 726 |
| 2 | .0673 | .685 | 11.4 | 577 |
| 1 | .0672 | .461 | 10.8 | 384 |
| Fabric Number 9 (ES-9) | | | | |
| 50 | .0756 | 1.90 | 5.95 | 1498 |
| 40 | .0739 | 1.72 | 6.09 | 1373 |
| 30 | .0723 | 1.48 | 6.11 | 1193 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth | Air Density Upstream of Cloth | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth | Relative Porosity of Cloth | Volumetric Velocity |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (Inches Water) | (lbm ft. ⁻³) | (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | (Per Cent) | (cfm ft. ⁻²) |

Fabric Number 9 (ES-9) (Continued)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|-----|
| 20 | .0705 | 1.18 | 6.10 | 964 |
| 15 | .0697 | 1.02 | 6.11 | 837 |
| 10 | .0688 | .815 | 5.99 | 677 |
| 9 | .0687 | .765 | 5.96 | 637 |
| 8 | .0685 | .715 | 5.91 | 597 |
| 7 | .0683 | .660 | 5.84 | 548 |
| 6 | .0682 | .600 | 5.73 | 499 |
| 5 | .068 | .540 | 5.68 | 449 |
| 4 | .0678 | .468 | 5.51 | 392 |
| 3 | .0676 | .387 | 5.23 | 325 |

Fabric Number 10 (ES-10)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|------|
| 50 | .0760 | 2.44 | 7.63 | 1919 |
| 40 | .0743 | 2.18 | 7.70 | 1734 |
| 30 | .0726 | 1.86 | 7.73 | 1497 |
| 20 | .0709 | 1.51 | 7.75 | 1229 |
| 15 | .0701 | 1.30 | 7.73 | 1064 |
| 10 | .0692 | 1.06 | 7.77 | 874 |
| 9 | .0691 | 1.01 | 7.82 | 834 |
| 8 | .0689 | .935 | 7.66 | 777 |
| 7 | .0687 | .875 | 7.73 | 728 |
| 6 | .0686 | .810 | 7.70 | 670 |
| 5 | .0684 | .725 | 7.62 | 605 |
| 4 | .0682 | .640 | 7.48 | 532 |
| 3 | .068 | .540 | 7.33 | 449 |

BALLY RIBBON FABRICS:

Fabric Number 1 (BR-1)

| | | | | |
|----|-------|------|------|------|
| 30 | .0740 | 4.50 | 20.1 | 3593 |
| 25 | .0715 | 3.98 | 18.2 | 3230 |
| 20 | .0705 | 3.48 | 17.9 | 2838 |
| 15 | .0695 | 3.00 | 17.9 | 2470 |
| 10 | .0688 | 2.28 | 16.8 | 1888 |
| 8 | .0683 | 2.00 | 16.6 | 1660 |
| 6 | .0681 | 1.71 | 16.4 | 1421 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 1 (BR-1) (Continued) | | | | |
| 4 | .0678 | 1.37 | 16.0 | 1140 |
| 3 | .0676 | 1.17 | 15.9 | 975 |
| 2 | .0674 | .938 | 15.6 | 784 |
| 1 | .0672 | .637 | 15.0 | 533 |
| Fabric Number 2 (BR-2) | | | | |
| 30 | .0722 | 4.25 | 17.6 | 3435 |
| 25 | .0713 | 3.77 | 17.2 | 3060 |
| 20 | .0705 | 3.29 | 16.9 | 2673 |
| 15 | .0696 | 2.74 | 16.1 | 2250 |
| 10 | .0687 | 2.10 | 15.8 | 1739 |
| 8 | .0684 | 1.90 | 15.6 | 1570 |
| 6 | .0678 | 1.62 | 15.5 | 1350 |
| 4 | .0677 | 1.30 | 15.3 | 1083 |
| 3 | .0676 | 1.12 | 15.2 | 939 |
| 2 | .0673 | .912 | 15.2 | 570 |
| 1 | .0672 | .637 | 15.1 | 533 |
| Fabric Number 3 (BR-3) | | | | |
| 25 | .0712 | 4.78 | 21.9 | 3879 |
| 20 | .0703 | 4.23 | 21.6 | 3460 |
| 15 | .0693 | 3.46 | 20.6 | 2855 |
| 10 | .0686 | 2.68 | 19.8 | 2205 |
| 8 | .0682 | 2.36 | 19.6 | 1960 |
| 6 | .0679 | 1.99 | 19.3 | 1655 |
| 5 | .0677 | 1.80 | 18.9 | 1500 |
| 4 | .0675 | 1.58 | 18.8 | 1322 |
| 3 | .0673 | 1.34 | 18.3 | 1123 |
| 2 | .0672 | 1.09 | 18.1 | 909 |
| 1 | .0668 | .742 | 18.0 | 622 |
| Fabric Number 4 (BR-4) | | | | |
| 30 | .0718 | 4.31 | 17.9 | 3480 |
| 25 | .0710 | 3.87 | 17.8 | 3140 |
| 20 | .0702 | 3.39 | 17.5 | 2779 |
| 15 | .0688 | 2.85 | 17.2 | 2275 |
| 10 | .0685 | 2.28 | 17.3 | 1891 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 4 (BR-4) (Continued) | | | | |
| 8 | .0682 | 2.01 | 16.7 | 1670 |
| 6 | .0678 | 1.70 | 16.2 | 1420 |
| 4 | .0674 | 1.35 | 16.0 | 1128 |
| 3 | .0673 | 1.14 | 15.7 | 956 |
| 2 | .0671 | .916 | 15.3 | 767 |
| 1 | .0669 | .630 | 13.7 | 527 |
| Fabric Number 5 (BR-5) | | | | |
| 30 | .0721 | 4.58 | 19.1 | 3700 |
| 25 | .0712 | 4.12 | 18.9 | 3340 |
| 20 | .0703 | 3.62 | 18.7 | 2960 |
| 15 | .0697 | 3.08 | 18.4 | 2523 |
| 10 | .0688 | 2.41 | 17.8 | 1995 |
| 8 | .0678 | 2.14 | 17.8 | 1785 |
| 6 | .0682 | 1.82 | 17.4 | 1515 |
| 4 | .0678 | 1.44 | 16.9 | 1205 |
| 3 | .0677 | 1.23 | 16.6 | 1022 |
| 2 | .0663 | .995 | 16.7 | 849 |
| 1 | .0673 | .697 | 16.5 | 583 |
| Fabric Number 6 (BR-6) | | | | |
| 30 | .0716 | 3.97 | 16.6 | 3220 |
| 25 | .0708 | 3.55 | 16.2 | 2895 |
| 20 | .0699 | 3.12 | 16.1 | 2556 |
| 15 | .0690 | 2.64 | 15.8 | 2180 |
| 10 | .0682 | 2.07 | 15.3 | 1721 |
| 8 | .0679 | 1.85 | 15.2 | 1540 |
| 6 | .0675 | 1.57 | 15.1 | 1311 |
| 4 | .0672 | 1.26 | 14.9 | 1052 |
| 3 | .0670 | 1.09 | 14.9 | 914 |
| 2 | .0668 | .885 | 14.8 | 743 |
| 1 | .0667 | .620 | 14.7 | 521 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 7 (BR-7) | | | | |
| 30 | .0716 | 5.03 | 21.0 | 4080 |
| 25 | .0707 | 4.60 | 21.1 | 3750 |
| 20 | .0698 | 4.05 | 20.9 | 3320 |
| 15 | .0679 | 3.40 | 21.1 | 2805 |
| 10 | .0682 | 2.73 | 19.9 | 2265 |
| 8 | .0678 | 2.41 | 19.8 | 2005 |
| 6 | .0675 | 2.08 | 19.9 | 1740 |
| 4 | .0671 | 1.65 | 19.7 | 1377 |
| 3 | .0670 | 1.42 | 20.2 | 1186 |
| 2 | .0668 | 1.15 | 19.3 | 969 |
| 1 | .0666 | .812 | 19.3 | 682 |
| Fabric Number 8 (BR-8) | | | | |
| 30 | .0723 | 4.60 | 19.1 | 3715 |
| 25 | .0713 | 4.12 | 18.9 | 3340 |
| 20 | .0705 | 3.61 | 18.6 | 2950 |
| 15 | .0695 | 3.05 | 18.3 | 2508 |
| 10 | .0687 | 2.44 | 18.0 | 2022 |
| 8 | .0684 | 2.16 | 17.8 | 1790 |
| 6 | .0680 | 1.84 | 17.6 | 1532 |
| 4 | .0677 | 1.48 | 17.4 | 1231 |
| 3 | .0675 | 1.27 | 17.2 | 1058 |
| 2 | .0673 | 1.02 | 17.0 | 854 |
| 1 | .0672 | .712 | 16.8 | 595 |
| Fabric Number 9 (BR-9) | | | | |
| 30 | .0718 | 4.38 | 18.3 | 3540 |
| 25 | .0710 | 3.93 | 18.1 | 3193 |
| 20 | .0700 | 3.46 | 17.7 | 2839 |
| 15 | .0693 | 2.96 | 17.7 | 2440 |
| 10 | .0686 | 2.37 | 17.2 | 1958 |
| 8 | .0683 | 2.10 | 17.2 | 1740 |
| 6 | .0678 | 1.79 | 17.1 | 1492 |
| 4 | .0675 | 1.45 | 17.1 | 1210 |
| 3 | .0671 | 1.25 | 17.0 | 1049 |
| 2 | .0659 | 1.00 | 16.8 | 844 |
| 1 | .0650 | .695 | 16.7 | 589 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 10 (BR-10) | | | | |
| 30 | .0719 | 4.86 | 20.2 | 3935 |
| 25 | .0711 | 4.26 | 19.5 | 3460 |
| 20 | .0702 | 3.73 | 19.2 | 3055 |
| 15 | .0694 | 3.18 | 19.0 | 2620 |
| 10 | .0686 | 2.58 | 19.0 | 2143 |
| 8 | .0682 | 2.28 | 18.8 | 1890 |
| 6 | .0679 | 1.94 | 18.6 | 1621 |
| 4 | .0675 | 1.57 | 18.5 | 1312 |
| 3 | .0674 | 1.36 | 18.4 | 1133 |
| 2 | .0672 | 1.10 | 18.3 | 919 |
| 1 | .0669 | .757 | 17.9 | 634 |
| Fabric Number 11 (BR-11) | | | | |
| 30 | .0720 | 4.42 | 17.8 | 3560 |
| 25 | .0712 | 3.95 | 17.8 | 3200 |
| 20 | .0703 | 3.49 | 17.7 | 2850 |
| 15 | .0695 | 2.92 | 17.4 | 2405 |
| 10 | .0682 | 2.35 | 17.3 | 1953 |
| 8 | .0683 | 2.09 | 17.2 | 1731 |
| 6 | .0679 | 1.78 | 17.0 | 1482 |
| 4 | .0676 | 1.43 | 16.8 | 1190 |
| 3 | .0675 | 1.23 | 16.6 | 1025 |
| 2 | .0673 | .984 | 16.4 | 822 |
| 1 | .0671 | .660 | 15.1 | 553 |
| Fabric Number 12 (BR-12) | | | | |
| 40 | .0733 | 4.58 | 15.8 | 3670 |
| 30 | .0718 | 3.81 | 15.8 | 3082 |
| 25 | .0708 | 3.41 | 15.7 | 2780 |
| 20 | .0700 | 2.99 | 15.4 | 2443 |
| 15 | .0692 | 2.54 | 15.3 | 2090 |
| 10 | .0684 | 2.02 | 14.9 | 1670 |
| 8 | .0680 | 1.78 | 14.8 | 1481 |
| 6 | .0677 | 1.53 | 14.7 | 1272 |
| 4 | .0674 | 1.23 | 14.5 | 1028 |
| 3 | .0673 | 1.07 | 14.8 | 895 |
| 2 | .0671 | .850 | 14.8 | 712 |
| 1 | .0668 | .588 | 13.9 | 493 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 13 (BR-13) | | | | |
| 40 | .0737 | 3.17 | 11.3 | 2533 |
| 30 | .0720 | 2.68 | 11.1 | 2162 |
| 25 | .0712 | 2.40 | 10.9 | 1942 |
| 20 | .0703 | 2.11 | 10.9 | 1725 |
| 15 | .0695 | 1.80 | 10.7 | 1479 |
| 10 | .0686 | 1.44 | 10.6 | 1190 |
| 8 | .0683 | 1.28 | 10.6 | 1059 |
| 6 | .0679 | 1.10 | 10.5 | 841 |
| 4 | .0676 | .893 | 10.5 | 744 |
| 3 | .0674 | .771 | 10.4 | 645 |
| 2 | .0673 | .622 | 10.7 | 519 |
| 1 | .0671 | .435 | 10.2 | 371 |
| Fabric Number 14 (BR-14) | | | | |
| 50 | .0755 | 2.79 | 8.78 | 2199 |
| 45 | .0746 | 2.58 | 8.61 | 2040 |
| 40 | .0738 | 2.42 | 8.59 | 1930 |
| 30 | .0721 | 2.03 | 8.43 | 1640 |
| 20 | .0704 | 1.60 | 8.25 | 1309 |
| 10 | .0687 | 1.10 | 8.08 | 905 |
| 7 | .0682 | .907 | 8.02 | 754 |
| 4 | .0677 | .680 | 7.98 | 566 |
| 3 | .0675 | .592 | 8.03 | 493 |
| 2 | .0674 | .490 | 8.15 | 410 |
| 1 | .0672 | .383 | 9.03 | 320 |
| Fabric Number 15 (BR-15) | | | | |
| 50 | .0746 | 3.54 | 11.2 | 2805 |
| 45 | .0738 | 3.32 | 11.2 | 2655 |
| 40 | .0729 | 3.09 | 11.1 | 2485 |
| 30 | .0713 | 2.61 | 10.9 | 2115 |
| 20 | .0696 | 2.06 | 10.7 | 1696 |
| 10 | .0679 | 1.41 | 10.4 | 1170 |
| 7 | .0674 | 1.16 | 10.3 | 972 |
| 4 | .0669 | .862 | 10.2 | 718 |
| 3 | .0668 | .737 | 10.1 | 618 |
| 2 | .0666 | .577 | 9.64 | 485 |
| 1 | .0664 | .393 | 9.30 | 331 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 16 (BR-16) | | | | |
| 55 | .0759 | 2.72 | 8.10 | 2135 |
| 50 | .0751 | 2.57 | 8.10 | 2035 |
| 45 | .0743 | 2.41 | 8.04 | 1919 |
| 40 | .0734 | 2.24 | 8.00 | 1790 |
| 30 | .0718 | 1.90 | 7.91 | 1540 |
| 20 | .0699 | 1.50 | 7.72 | 1243 |
| 10 | .0683 | 1.02 | 7.51 | 850 |
| 4 | .0672 | .609 | 7.14 | 510 |
| 3 | .0669 | .520 | 7.08 | 436 |
| 2 | .0669 | .385 | 6.36 | 323 |
| 1 | .0666 | --- | --- | --- |
| Fabric Number 17 (BR-17) | | | | |
| 50 | .0752 | 3.70 | 11.7 | 2925 |
| 45 | .0743 | 3.47 | 11.6 | 2760 |
| 40 | .0735 | 3.23 | 11.5 | 2580 |
| 30 | .0718 | 2.73 | 11.4 | 2240 |
| 20 | .0701 | 2.18 | 11.3 | 1788 |
| 10 | .0685 | 1.49 | 11.0 | 1232 |
| 4 | .0675 | .933 | 11.0 | 778 |
| 3 | .0673 | .806 | 11.0 | 673 |
| 2 | .0671 | .664 | 11.1 | 556 |
| 1 | .0669 | .468 | 11.3 | 392 |
| Fabric Number 18 (BR-18) | | | | |
| 55 | .0759 | 2.69 | 8.05 | 2118 |
| 50 | .0751 | 2.45 | 7.72 | 1938 |
| 45 | .0742 | 2.29 | 7.65 | 1820 |
| 40 | .0734 | 2.13 | 7.58 | 1700 |
| 30 | .0717 | 1.80 | 7.48 | 1455 |
| 20 | .0700 | 1.43 | 7.38 | 1170 |
| 10 | .0684 | .987 | 7.28 | 817 |
| 4 | .0674 | .624 | 7.32 | 521 |
| 3 | .0672 | .542 | 7.37 | 452 |
| 2 | .0670 | .446 | 7.45 | 374 |
| 1 | .0669 | .332 | 7.84 | 279 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 19 (BR-19) | | | | |
| 50 | .0758 | 3.51 | 11.0 | 2760 |
| 45 | .0749 | 3.25 | 10.8 | 2573 |
| 40 | .0741 | 3.07 | 10.9 | 2440 |
| 30 | .0724 | 2.56 | 10.8 | 2065 |
| 20 | .0707 | 2.07 | 10.6 | 1689 |
| 10 | .0688 | 1.42 | 10.5 | 1167 |
| 7 | .0685 | 1.17 | 10.4 | 973 |
| 4 | .0680 | .891 | 10.5 | 741 |
| 3 | .0678 | .776 | 10.5 | 646 |
| 2 | .0677 | .629 | 10.5 | 524 |
| 1 | .0675 | .446 | 10.5 | 372 |
| Fabric Number 20 (BR-20) | | | | |
| 50 | .0745 | 2.32 | 7.33 | 1842 |
| 45 | .0736 | 2.16 | 7.27 | 1730 |
| 40 | .0728 | 2.03 | 7.27 | 1632 |
| 30 | .0711 | 1.71 | 7.16 | 1391 |
| 20 | .0695 | 1.36 | 7.03 | 1114 |
| 10 | .0678 | .928 | 6.88 | 772 |
| 7 | .0673 | .774 | 6.88 | 646 |
| 4 | .0668 | .585 | 6.92 | 491 |
| 3 | .0666 | .508 | 6.93 | 427 |
| 2 | .0665 | .423 | 7.08 | 356 |
| 1 | .0663 | .327 | 7.75 | 276 |
| Fabric Number 21 (BR-21) | | | | |
| 25 | .0712 | 4.85 | 22.2 | 3930 |
| 24 | .0711 | 4.75 | 22.2 | 3855 |
| 21 | .0706 | 4.42 | 22.2 | 3600 |
| 18 | .0700 | 4.07 | 22.2 | 3335 |
| 13 | .0692 | 3.44 | 22.2 | 2830 |
| 9 | .0685 | 2.83 | 22.1 | 2350 |
| 7 | .0682 | 2.49 | 22.0 | 2069 |
| 4 | .0677 | 1.86 | 21.8 | 1546 |
| 3 | .0675 | 1.60 | 21.8 | 1335 |
| 2 | .0673 | 1.31 | 21.8 | 1097 |
| 1 | .0672 | .917 | 21.6 | 766 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 22 (BR-22) | | | | |
| 30 | .0718 | 4.43 | 18.4 | 3585 |
| 25 | .0710 | 4.03 | 18.4 | 3260 |
| 21 | .0703 | 3.65 | 18.4 | 2985 |
| 17 | .0696 | 3.29 | 18.5 | 2700 |
| 13 | .0689 | 2.84 | 18.3 | 2345 |
| 10 | .0684 | 2.47 | 18.3 | 2043 |
| 7 | .0679 | 2.05 | 18.2 | 1707 |
| 4 | .0674 | 1.54 | 18.1 | 1286 |
| 3 | .0673 | 1.33 | 18.1 | 1110 |
| 2 | .0671 | 1.09 | 18.2 | 912 |
| 1 | .0669 | .758 | 17.9 | 634 |
| Fabric Number 23 (BR-23) | | | | |
| 25 | .0716 | 4.96 | 22.7 | 4020 |
| 24 | .0714 | 4.86 | 22.7 | 3940 |
| 21 | .0709 | 4.52 | 22.6 | 3673 |
| 18 | .0704 | 4.16 | 22.6 | 3400 |
| 14 | .0697 | 3.65 | 22.6 | 2998 |
| 10 | .0690 | 3.06 | 22.5 | 2530 |
| 7 | .0685 | 2.54 | 22.4 | 2105 |
| 4 | .0680 | 1.88 | 22.1 | 1565 |
| 3 | .0679 | 1.63 | 22.0 | 1352 |
| 2 | .0677 | 1.31 | 21.8 | 1092 |
| 1 | .0675 | .960 | 22.6 | 800 |
| Fabric Number 24 (BR-24) | | | | |
| 27 | .0720 | 4.30 | 18.8 | 3470 |
| 23 | .0713 | 3.95 | 18.8 | 3200 |
| 20 | .0708 | 3.65 | 18.8 | 2975 |
| 15 | .0700 | 3.14 | 18.7 | 2568 |
| 10 | .0691 | 2.54 | 18.6 | 2094 |
| 7 | .0686 | 2.09 | 18.4 | 1730 |
| 5 | .0683 | 1.76 | 18.4 | 1456 |
| 4 | .0681 | 1.53 | 17.9 | 1270 |
| 3 | .0679 | 1.35 | 18.3 | 1126 |
| 2 | .0678 | 1.10 | 18.3 | 918 |
| 1 | .0676 | .768 | 18.0 | 638 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 29 (BR-29) | | | | |
| 18 | .0671 | 4.84 | 26.7 | 4051 |
| 15 | .0671 | 4.40 | 26.7 | 3683 |
| 14 | .0671 | 4.23 | 26.6 | 3541 |
| 12 | .0671 | 3.91 | 26.6 | 3273 |
| 10 | .0670 | 3.57 | 26.6 | 2992 |
| 7 | .0670 | 2.92 | 26.0 | 2448 |
| 5 | .0670 | 2.49 | 26.4 | 2087 |
| 4 | .0670 | 2.20 | 26.0 | 1844 |
| 3 | .0670 | 1.87 | 25.5 | 1567 |
| 2 | .0669 | 1.57 | 26.1 | 1316 |
| 1 | .0669 | 1.03 | 24.2 | 863 |
| Fabric Number 30 (BR-30) | | | | |
| 22 | .0702 | 4.52 | 22.3 | 3699 |
| 20 | .0699 | 4.32 | 22.3 | 3541 |
| 17 | .0694 | 3.94 | 22.2 | 3243 |
| 13 | .0687 | 3.42 | 22.1 | 2830 |
| 10 | .0682 | 2.99 | 22.1 | 2485 |
| 7 | .0677 | 2.48 | 22.0 | 2063 |
| 5 | .0674 | 2.07 | 21.8 | 1730 |
| 4 | .0672 | 1.84 | 21.7 | 1538 |
| 3 | .0670 | 1.59 | 21.6 | 1329 |
| 2 | .0669 | 1.32 | 22.0 | 1102 |
| 1 | .0667 | .895 | 21.1 | 751 |
| Fabric Number 31 (BR-31) | | | | |
| 58 | .0771 | 2.50 | 7.21 | 1955 |
| 50 | .0758 | 2.30 | 7.21 | 1813 |
| 40 | .0741 | 2.03 | 7.21 | 1618 |
| 30 | .0724 | 1.73 | 7.21 | 1397 |
| 20 | .0707 | 1.39 | 7.14 | 1133 |
| 10 | .0690 | .955 | 7.00 | 788 |
| 7 | .0685 | .787 | 6.93 | 652 |
| 4 | .0680 | .586 | 6.87 | 488 |
| 3 | .0678 | .502 | 6.79 | 418 |
| 2 | .0677 | .411 | 6.79 | 343 |
| 1 | .0675 | .316 | 7.42 | 264 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 32 (BR-32) | | | | |
| 60 | .0779 | 1.61 | 4.55 | 1250 |
| 50 | .0762 | 1.45 | 4.52 | 1135 |
| 40 | .0745 | 1.27 | 4.47 | 1010 |
| 30 | .0728 | 1.06 | 4.37 | 853 |
| 20 | .0711 | .835 | 4.28 | 679 |
| 15 | .0703 | .705 | 4.20 | 576 |
| 10 | .0694 | .565 | 4.15 | 462 |
| 7 | .0689 | .465 | 4.09 | 384 |
| 4 | .0684 | .350 | 4.09 | 290 |
| 2 | .0681 | .291 | 4.82 | 242 |
| 1 | .0679 | .187 | 4.36 | 156 |
| Fabric Number 33 (BR-33) | | | | |
| 60 | .0777 | 2.23 | 6.33 | 1735 |
| 55 | .0769 | 2.13 | 6.33 | 1667 |
| 50 | .0760 | 2.01 | 6.33 | 1581 |
| 40 | .0743 | 1.77 | 6.25 | 1408 |
| 30 | .0726 | 1.52 | 6.25 | 1223 |
| 20 | .0709 | 1.22 | 6.25 | 993 |
| 10 | .0692 | .842 | 6.17 | 694 |
| 6 | .0686 | .649 | 6.17 | 537 |
| 3 | .0681 | .416 | 5.66 | 346 |
| 2 | .0679 | .384 | 6.25 | 319 |
| 1 | .0677 | .281 | 6.56 | 234 |
| Fabric Number 34 (BR-34) | | | | |
| 60 | .0762 | 1.51 | 4.31 | 1186 |
| 50 | .0743 | 1.36 | 4.32 | 1082 |
| 40 | .0727 | 1.20 | 4.27 | 966 |
| 30 | .0710 | 1.01 | 4.22 | 821 |
| 20 | .0694 | .788 | 4.09 | 649 |
| 15 | .0685 | .678 | 4.06 | 562 |
| 10 | .0677 | .525 | 3.90 | 438 |
| 7 | .0672 | .433 | 3.87 | 362 |
| 5 | .0670 | .369 | 3.88 | 309 |
| 3 | .0667 | .232 | 3.16 | 195 |
| 1 | .0661 | --- | --- | --- |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 35 (BR-35) | | | | |
| 55 | .0766 | 1.99 | 5.92 | 1559 |
| 40 | .0741 | 1.62 | 5.74 | 1293 |
| 30 | .0724 | 1.36 | 5.62 | 1097 |
| 25 | .0716 | 1.22 | 5.55 | 986 |
| 20 | .0707 | 1.04 | 5.36 | 850 |
| 15 | .0699 | .906 | 5.40 | 743 |
| 10 | .0691 | .726 | 5.34 | 599 |
| 7 | .0685 | .612 | 5.39 | 507 |
| 5 | .0682 | .518 | 5.42 | 430 |
| 3 | .0678 | .409 | 5.53 | 341 |
| 1 | .0675 | .259 | 6.08 | 216 |
| Fabric Number 36 (BR-36) | | | | |
| 60 | .0771 | 1.44 | 4.10 | 1125 |
| 50 | .0754 | 1.29 | 4.11 | 1019 |
| 40 | .0737 | 1.12 | 4.00 | 899 |
| 30 | .0720 | .941 | 3.91 | 761 |
| 20 | .0703 | .734 | 3.79 | 600 |
| 15 | .0695 | .618 | 3.70 | 509 |
| 7 | .0681 | .395 | 3.49 | 328 |
| 5 | .0678 | .330 | 3.46 | 275 |
| 3 | .0674 | .256 | 3.46 | 214 |
| 2 | .0673 | .205 | 3.42 | 171 |
| 1 | .0671 | --- | -- | -- |
| Fabric Number 37 (BR-37) | | | | |
| 42 | .0732 | 3.47 | 12.1 | 2784 |
| 35 | .0720 | 3.12 | 12.0 | 2487 |
| 25 | .0704 | 2.59 | 12.0 | 2120 |
| 20 | .0695 | 2.29 | 11.9 | 1893 |
| 15 | .0687 | 1.97 | 12.3 | 1663 |
| 10 | .0679 | 1.60 | 11.8 | 1323 |
| 7 | .0674 | 1.29 | 11.5 | 1036 |
| 5 | .0671 | 1.13 | 11.9 | 947 |
| 3 | .0667 | .835 | 12.1 | 741 |
| 2 | .0666 | .725 | 12.2 | 618 |
| 1 | .0664 | .540 | 12.8 | 444 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 38 (BR-38) | | | | |
| 55 | .0748 | 2.63 | 7.94 | 2085 |
| 50 | .0740 | 2.49 | 7.92 | 1987 |
| 40 | .0724 | 2.20 | 7.89 | 1774 |
| 30 | .0707 | 1.88 | 7.89 | 1533 |
| 20 | .0691 | 1.52 | 7.87 | 1255 |
| 10 | .0675 | 1.05 | 7.77 | 876 |
| 7 | .0669 | .865 | 7.77 | 725 |
| 4 | .0664 | .645 | 7.60 | 543 |
| 3 | .0661 | .560 | 7.66 | 473 |
| 2 | .0661 | .456 | 7.68 | 385 |
| 1 | .0659 | .329 | 7.75 | 278 |
| Fabric Number 39 (BR-39) | | | | |
| 50 | .0752 | 3.09 | 9.65 | 2444 |
| 40 | .0735 | 2.69 | 9.59 | 2151 |
| 30 | .0718 | 2.28 | 9.49 | 1847 |
| 20 | .0701 | 1.82 | 9.39 | 1489 |
| 16 | .0695 | 1.61 | 9.33 | 1325 |
| 12 | .0688 | 1.38 | 9.27 | 1140 |
| 8 | .0681 | 1.12 | 9.22 | 928 |
| 6 | .0678 | .965 | 9.22 | 804 |
| 4 | .0675 | .793 | 9.33 | 662 |
| 3 | .0673 | .695 | 9.43 | 581 |
| 2 | .0671 | .555 | 9.33 | 465 |
| Fabric Number 40 (BR-40) | | | | |
| 55 | .0759 | 1.96 | 5.86 | 1542 |
| 45 | .0742 | 1.74 | 5.81 | 1384 |
| 35 | .0726 | 1.51 | 5.80 | 1215 |
| 25 | .0709 | 1.26 | 5.76 | 1026 |
| 20 | .0700 | 1.13 | 5.81 | 926 |
| 15 | .0692 | .955 | 5.73 | 787 |
| 10 | .0683 | .765 | 5.66 | 635 |
| 5 | .0675 | .543 | 5.71 | 453 |
| 3 | .0672 | .410 | 5.57 | 343 |
| 2 | .0670 | .365 | 6.13 | 306 |
| 1 | .0668 | .251 | 5.94 | 211 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 45 (BR-45) | | | | |
| 50 | .0755 | 3.28 | 10.3 | 2586 |
| 40 | .0739 | 2.87 | 10.2 | 2290 |
| 30 | .0723 | 2.44 | 10.1 | 1968 |
| 20 | .0706 | 1.96 | 10.1 | 1599 |
| 15 | .0696 | 1.68 | 10.0 | 1381 |
| 10 | .0688 | 1.36 | 10.0 | 1124 |
| 7 | .0683 | 1.14 | 10.1 | 946 |
| 5 | .0679 | .960 | 10.1 | 799 |
| 3 | .0676 | .750 | 10.2 | 625 |
| 2 | .0674 | .615 | 10.2 | 514 |
| 1 | .0673 | .445 | 10.5 | 372 |
| Fabric Number 46 (BR-46) | | | | |
| 60 | .0775 | 2.39 | 6.78 | 1860 |
| 50 | .0759 | 2.15 | 6.71 | 1691 |
| 40 | .0743 | 1.89 | 6.71 | 1504 |
| 30 | .0724 | 1.60 | 6.63 | 1290 |
| 20 | .0707 | 1.28 | 6.56 | 1044 |
| 15 | .0699 | 1.09 | 6.56 | 893 |
| 10 | .0691 | .882 | 6.48 | 728 |
| 5 | .0683 | .609 | 6.40 | 505 |
| 3 | .0680 | .480 | 6.48 | 399 |
| 2 | .0678 | .391 | 6.48 | 326 |
| 1 | .0675 | .279 | 6.56 | 233 |
| Fabric Number 49 (BR-49) | | | | |
| 50 | .0735 | .164 | .523 | 131 |
| 45 | .0727 | .150 | .508 | 121 |
| 40 | .0718 | .136 | .498 | 110 |
| 35 | .0710 | .119 | .459 | 96.7 |
| 30 | .0702 | .109 | .458 | 89.2 |
| 25 | .0694 | .094 | .437 | 77.4 |
| 20 | .0686 | .079 | .414 | 65.4 |
| 15 | .0677 | .063 | .382 | 52.5 |
| 10 | .0670 | --- | --- | --- |
| 5 | .0662 | --- | --- | --- |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 50 (BR-50) | | | | |
| 60 | .0761 | .161 | .470 | 126 |
| 55 | .0753 | .150 | .450 | 118 |
| 50 | .0745 | .138 | .440 | 110 |
| 40 | .0726 | .114 | .410 | 91.7 |
| 30 | .0710 | .089 | .380 | 72.4 |
| 20 | .0688 | .065 | .340 | 53.7 |
| 15 | .0686 | .053 | .320 | 43.4 |
| 10 | .0677 | --- | --- | --- |
| 5 | .0669 | --- | --- | --- |
| Fabric Number 51 (BR-51) | | | | |
| 50 | .0735 | .305 | .972 | 244 |
| 45 | .0725 | .279 | .941 | 225 |
| 40 | .0718 | .256 | .907 | 207 |
| 35 | .0710 | .225 | .872 | 183 |
| 30 | .0701 | .202 | .849 | 165 |
| 25 | .0694 | .176 | .846 | 145 |
| 20 | .0682 | .150 | .781 | 125 |
| 15 | .0677 | .123 | .742 | 103 |
| 10 | .0669 | .0940 | .701 | 78.8 |
| 5 | .0661 | .0635 | .671 | 53.6 |
| Fabric Number 52 (BR-52) | | | | |
| 50 | .0736 | .294 | .938 | 235 |
| 45 | .0729 | .267 | .901 | 215 |
| 40 | .0718 | .242 | .869 | 196 |
| 35 | .0710 | .217 | .838 | 176 |
| 30 | .0702 | .194 | .817 | 159 |
| 25 | .0694 | .169 | .785 | 139 |
| 20 | .0688 | .145 | .765 | 120 |
| 15 | .0677 | .119 | .716 | 99.2 |
| 10 | .0669 | .092 | .683 | 76.7 |
| 5 | .0664 | .064 | .671 | 53.5 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 53 (BR-53) | | | | |
| 50 | .0753 | .579 | 1.81 | 458 |
| 45 | .0744 | .531 | 1.77 | 422 |
| 40 | .0736 | .490 | 1.75 | 392 |
| 35 | .0727 | .445 | 1.71 | 358 |
| 30 | .0719 | .403 | 1.67 | 326 |
| 25 | .0710 | .357 | 1.64 | 290 |
| 20 | .0702 | .310 | 1.60 | 254 |
| 15 | .0693 | .258 | 1.54 | 213 |
| 10 | .0685 | .200 | 1.42 | 166 |
| 5 | .0676 | .135 | 1.41 | 113 |
| Fabric Number 54 (BR-54) | | | | |
| 50 | .0752 | .665 | 2.08 | 526 |
| 45 | .0744 | .620 | 2.07 | 493 |
| 40 | .0735 | .565 | 2.01 | 452 |
| 35 | .0727 | .520 | 1.99 | 418 |
| 30 | .0718 | .464 | 1.93 | 375 |
| 25 | .0710 | .413 | 1.89 | 336 |
| 20 | .0701 | .359 | 1.85 | 294 |
| 15 | .0693 | .300 | 1.80 | 247 |
| 10 | .0684 | .237 | 1.75 | 196 |
| 5 | .0676 | .160 | 1.68 | 133 |
| Fabric Number 55 (BR-55) | | | | |
| 50 | .0754 | .881 | 2.77 | 696 |
| 45 | .0747 | .817 | 2.72 | 649 |
| 40 | .0738 | .753 | 2.68 | 602 |
| 35 | .0730 | .692 | 2.65 | 556 |
| 30 | .0721 | .623 | 2.60 | 503 |
| 25 | .0712 | .556 | 2.55 | 451 |
| 20 | .0703 | .482 | 2.49 | 394 |
| 15 | .0695 | .403 | 2.41 | 332 |
| 10 | .0687 | .314 | 2.32 | 260 |
| 5 | .0678 | .211 | 2.21 | 176 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 56 (BR-56) | | | | |
| 50 | .0759 | .803 | 2.53 | 632 |
| 45 | .0751 | .747 | 2.49 | 591 |
| 40 | .0743 | .687 | 2.43 | 547 |
| 35 | .0734 | .630 | 2.41 | 504 |
| 30 | .0726 | .569 | 2.35 | 458 |
| 25 | .0717 | .506 | 2.30 | 410 |
| 20 | .0709 | .440 | 2.26 | 358 |
| 15 | .0695 | .367 | 2.19 | 302 |
| 10 | .0687 | .289 | 2.12 | 239 |
| 5 | .0678 | .194 | 2.03 | 162 |
| Fabric Number 57 (BR-57) | | | | |
| 50 | .0766 | .154 | .480 | 121 |
| 45 | .0749 | .140 | .466 | 111 |
| 40 | .0741 | .127 | .451 | 101 |
| 35 | .0732 | .114 | .425 | 91.5 |
| 30 | .0724 | .101 | .418 | 81.4 |
| 25 | .0715 | .088 | .405 | 70.9 |
| 20 | .0707 | .074 | .378 | 59.9 |
| 15 | .0698 | .060 | .359 | 49.2 |
| 10 | .0690 | --- | --- | --- |
| 7 | .0685 | --- | --- | --- |
| 5 | .0682 | --- | --- | --- |
| Fabric Number 58 (BR-58) | | | | |
| 54 | .0768 | .159 | .475 | 124 |
| 50 | .0762 | .144 | .451 | 113 |
| 45 | .0753 | .131 | .434 | 103 |
| 40 | .0745 | .117 | .414 | 93.0 |
| 35 | .0736 | .105 | .397 | 83.9 |
| 30 | .0728 | .092 | .378 | 73.6 |
| 25 | .0719 | .080 | .362 | 64.3 |
| 20 | .0711 | .067 | .342 | 54.4 |
| 15 | .0702 | --- | --- | --- |
| 10 | .0694 | --- | --- | --- |

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TABLE IV (Continued)
SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 59 (BR-59) | | | | |
| 50 | .0728 | .287 | .919 | 231 |
| 45 | .0718 | .258 | .879 | 209 |
| 40 | .0710 | .234 | .838 | 190 |
| 35 | .0701 | .209 | .812 | 171 |
| 30 | .0693 | .186 | .785 | 153 |
| 25 | .0685 | .163 | .759 | 135 |
| 20 | .0678 | .139 | .725 | 116 |
| 15 | .0670 | .114 | .694 | 95.6 |
| 10 | .0661 | .088 | .663 | 74.3 |
| 5 | .0652 | .061 | .645 | 51.8 |
| Fabric Number 60 (BR-60) | | | | |
| 50 | .0759 | .285 | .895 | 224 |
| 45 | .0751 | .256 | .849 | 203 |
| 40 | .0742 | .230 | .819 | 183 |
| 35 | .0734 | .208 | .795 | 166 |
| 30 | .0726 | .182 | .755 | 146 |
| 25 | .0718 | .162 | .735 | 131 |
| 20 | .0709 | .140 | .721 | 114 |
| 15 | .0701 | .112 | .664 | 91.7 |
| 10 | .0692 | .080 | .592 | 65.9 |
| 5 | .0684 | --- | --- | --- |
| Fabric Number 61 (BR-61) | | | | |
| 50 | .0759 | .213 | .665 | 168 |
| 45 | .0743 | .194 | .648 | 154 |
| 40 | .0734 | .177 | .628 | 142 |
| 35 | .0726 | .159 | .609 | 128 |
| 30 | .0717 | .143 | .594 | 116 |
| 25 | .0709 | .124 | .569 | 101 |
| 20 | .0700 | .105 | .543 | 86.1 |
| 15 | .0692 | .084 | .505 | 69.2 |
| 10 | .0683 | .063 | .465 | 52.3 |
| 5 | .0675 | --- | --- | --- |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth | Air Density Upstream of Cloth | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth | Relative Porosity of Cloth | Volumetric Velocity |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (Inches Water) | (lbm ft. ⁻³) | (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | (Per Cent) | (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
| Fabric Number 62 (BR-62) | | | | |
| 50 | .0755 | .183 | .573 | 144 |
| 40 | .0739 | .152 | .539 | 121 |
| 30 | .0727 | .117 | .486 | 94.5 |
| 25 | .0713 | .104 | .476 | 84.4 |
| 20 | .0705 | .088 | .451 | 71.4 |
| 15 | .0696 | .070 | .418 | 57.5 |
| 10 | .0688 | --- | --- | --- |
| 6 | .0681 | --- | --- | --- |
| 4 | .0677 | --- | --- | --- |
| 2 | .0674 | --- | --- | --- |
| Fabric Number 63 (BR-63) | | | | |
| 45 | .0750 | .474 | 1.58 | 375 |
| 40 | .0742 | .422 | 1.50 | 336 |
| 35 | .0733 | .373 | 1.40 | 299 |
| 30 | .0724 | .332 | 1.38 | 268 |
| 25 | .0715 | .287 | 1.31 | 233 |
| 20 | .0707 | .261 | 1.35 | 213 |
| 15 | .0699 | .198 | 1.19 | 162 |
| 10 | .0690 | .151 | 1.11 | 125 |
| 5 | .0682 | .099 | 1.03 | 81.9 |
| Fabric Number 64 (BR-64) | | | | |
| 45 | .0751 | .388 | 1.29 | 307 |
| 40 | .0742 | .353 | 1.25 | 281 |
| 35 | .0734 | .319 | 1.21 | 255 |
| 30 | .0725 | .283 | 1.17 | 228 |
| 25 | .0717 | .248 | 1.13 | 201 |
| 20 | .0708 | .210 | 1.08 | 171 |
| 15 | .0695 | .171 | 1.02 | 141 |
| 10 | .0691 | .127 | .934 | 105 |
| 7 | .0686 | .101 | .886 | 83.6 |
| 5 | .0683 | .081 | .846 | 67.2 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 65 (BR-65) | | | | |
| 48 | .0757 | .380 | 1.23 | 299 |
| 44 | .0750 | .360 | 1.21 | 285 |
| 40 | .0743 | .335 | 1.19 | 267 |
| 35 | .0735 | .302 | 1.15 | 242 |
| 30 | .0726 | .268 | 1.11 | 216 |
| 25 | .0718 | .234 | 1.06 | 189 |
| 20 | .0709 | .198 | 1.01 | 161 |
| 15 | .0701 | .161 | .952 | 132 |
| 10 | .0692 | .122 | .892 | 101 |
| 5 | .0684 | .078 | .826 | 64.2 |
| Fabric Number 66 (BR-66) | | | | |
| 50 | .0759 | .338 | 1.06 | 266 |
| 45 | .0751 | .310 | 1.03 | 245 |
| 40 | .0742 | .282 | 1.00 | 224 |
| 35 | .0734 | .251 | .954 | 201 |
| 30 | .0726 | .235 | .964 | 189 |
| 25 | .0717 | .196 | .894 | 159 |
| 20 | .0708 | .167 | .866 | 136 |
| 15 | .0700 | .136 | .806 | 111 |
| 10 | .0692 | .099 | .721 | 81.2 |
| 7 | .0687 | .069 | .600 | 56.7 |
| Fabric Number 67 (BR-67) | | | | |
| 55 | .0751 | 1.06 | 3.16 | 840 |
| 50 | .0745 | 1.00 | 3.16 | 797 |
| 45 | .0735 | .939 | 3.16 | 751 |
| 40 | .0726 | .870 | 3.16 | 695 |
| 30 | .0710 | .728 | 3.00 | 592 |
| 20 | .0694 | .574 | 3.00 | 473 |
| 10 | .0678 | .369 | 2.83 | 308 |
| 5 | .0670 | .252 | 2.65 | 211 |

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TABLE IV (Continued)

SUMMARY OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

| Static Pressure Upstream of Cloth (Inches Water) | Air Density Upstream of Cloth (lbm ft. ⁻³) | Mass Velocity of Air Upstream of Cloth (lbm sec. ⁻¹ ft. ⁻²) | Relative Porosity of Cloth (Per Cent) | Volumetric Velocity (cfm ft. ⁻²) |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Fabric Number 68 (BR-68) | | | | |
| 55 | .0748 | .935 | 2.83 | 741 |
| 45 | .0732 | .815 | 2.75 | 654 |
| 40 | .0723 | .755 | 2.72 | 609 |
| 35 | .0715 | .690 | 2.67 | 559 |
| 30 | .0707 | .630 | 2.64 | 514 |
| 25 | .0699 | .565 | 2.62 | 463 |
| 20 | .0690 | .500 | 2.60 | 413 |
| 15 | .0682 | .422 | 2.55 | 351 |
| 10 | .0674 | .343 | 2.56 | 287 |
| 7 | .0669 | .285 | 2.55 | 239 |
| 5 | .0666 | .243 | 2.58 | 204 |
| Fabric Number 69 (BR-69) | | | | |
| 55 | .0744 | .940 | 2.84 | 747 |
| 45 | .0729 | .830 | 2.79 | 667 |
| 40 | .0718 | .760 | 2.72 | 615 |
| 35 | .0710 | .700 | 2.69 | 569 |
| 30 | .0702 | .625 | 2.63 | 512 |
| 25 | .0694 | .555 | 2.57 | 457 |
| 20 | .0685 | .480 | 2.50 | 398 |
| 15 | .0677 | .400 | 2.42 | 333 |
| 10 | .0672 | .303 | 2.26 | 253 |
| 7 | .0662 | .236 | 2.12 | 199 |
| 5 | .0660 | .198 | 2.08 | 167 |
| Fabric Number 70 (BR-70) | | | | |
| 55 | .0737 | .820 | 2.48 | 655 |
| 45 | .0721 | .720 | 2.41 | 581 |
| 40 | .0714 | .650 | 2.36 | 527 |
| 35 | .0705 | .590 | 2.29 | 482 |
| 30 | .0696 | .535 | 2.27 | 440 |
| 25 | .0689 | .466 | 2.16 | 385 |
| 20 | .0682 | .404 | 2.12 | 336 |
| 15 | .0674 | .328 | 1.99 | 274 |
| 10 | .0666 | .244 | 1.82 | 205 |
| 7 | .0660 | .190 | 1.71 | 160 |
| 5 | .0658 | .163 | 1.73 | 138 |

TABLE V

THE EFFECT OF FILLING THREAD COUNT
VARIATION ON FABRIC PERMEABILITY

| Volumetric Velocity (cfm./ft. ²) (20 Inches Water) | Item Number | Thread Count Per Inch | | Weave |
|---|----------------|--------------------------|---------|-------|
| | | Warp | Filling | |
| NYLON CLOTH: | | | | |
| 979 | GT-2 | 75.50 | 91.00 | Satin |
| 1372 | GT-3 | 75.50 | 75.00 | " |
| 1788 | GT-4 | 76.00 | 63.50 | " |
| 2839 | GT-5 | 76.00 | 55.00 | " |
| -- | GT-6 | 77.00 | 43.50 | " |
| 429 | GT-7 | 80.00 | 94.00 | Plain |
| 544 | GT-8 | 78.00 | 88.00 | " |
| 864 | GT-9 | 78.50 | 73.00 | " |
| 1974 | GT-10 | 78.50 | 64.50 | " |
| 3287 | GT-11 | 77.00 | 53.50 | " |
| -- | GT-1 | 77.00 | 44.00 | " |
| 1047 | GT-17 | 75.00 | 92.00 | Twill |
| 1228 | GT-16 | 75.50 | 82.50 | " |
| 1553 | GT-15 | 74.00 | 73.00 | " |
| 2038 | GT-14 | 74.50 | 63.00 | " |
| 3033 | GT-13 | 74.50 | 53.00 | " |
| -- | GT-12 | 74.00 | 42.00 | " |
| 620 | GT-22 | 142.25 | 82.25 | Plain |
| 758 | GT-21 | 141.50 | 73.25 | " |
| 1106 | GT-20 | 140.00 | 62.00 | " |
| 1486 | GT-19 | 139.25 | 52.00 | " |
| 2282 | GT-18 | 137.00 | 41.00 | " |
| 440 | GT-23 | 139.50 | 84.50 | Satin |
| 668 | GT-24 | 138.80 | 74.75 | " |
| 1100 | GT-25 | 139.00 | 64.00 | " |
| 1708 | GT-26 | 138.00 | 53.00 | " |
| 2787 | GT-27 | 137.50 | 42.50 | " |
| 507 | GT-32 | 143.50 | 83.50 | Twill |
| 771 | GT-31 | 141.50 | 72.25 | " |
| 1012 | GT-30 | 141.50 | 63.75 | " |
| 1553 | GT-29 | 140.00 | 52.00 | " |
| 2410 | GT-28 | 139.50 | 42.00 | " |

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TABLE V (Continued)

THE EFFECT OF FILLING THREAD COUNT
VARIATION ON FABRIC PERMEABILITY

| Volumetric Velocity (cfm./ft. ²) (20 Inches Water) | Item Number | Thread Count Per Inch | | Weave |
|---|----------------|--------------------------|---------|-------|
| | | Warp | Filling | |
| ORLON: | | | | |
| 475 | GT-36 | 103.00 | 70.00 | Plain |
| 868 | GT-35 | 104.00 | 61.00 | " |
| 1506 | GT-34 | 102.00 | 51.00 | " |
| 2425 | GT-33 | 102.00 | 41.00 | " |
| 553 | GT-40 | 103.00 | 70.00 | Twill |
| 750 | GT-39 | 103.00 | 61.00 | " |
| 1252 | GT-38 | 102.00 | 51.00 | " |
| 1913 | GT-37 | 102.00 | 40.00 | " |
| 764 | GT-44 | 102.00 | 70.00 | Satin |
| 964 | GT-43 | 101.00 | 60.00 | " |
| 1412 | GT-42 | 100.00 | 52.00 | " |
| 2484 | GT-41 | 102.00 | 40.50 | " |
| DACRON: | | | | |
| 788 | GT-48 | 122.00 | 75.00 | Plain |
| 1150 | GT-47 | 122.00 | 64.00 | " |
| 1614 | GT-46 | 123.00 | 53.00 | " |
| 2334 | GT-45 | 121.00 | 43.50 | " |
| 679 | GT-52 | 123.00 | 77.00 | Twill |
| 1127 | GT-51 | 123.00 | 66.00 | " |
| 1682 | GT-50 | 122.00 | 54.00 | " |
| 2555 | GT-49 | 122.00 | 43.00 | " |
| 657 | GT-56 | 123.00 | 78.00 | Satin |
| 1357 | GT-55 | 123.00 | 66.00 | " |
| 1946 | GT-54 | 122.00 | 56.00 | " |
| 2987 | GT-53 | 122.00 | 44.00 | " |
| UNFINISHED NYLON: | | | | |
| 1210 | GT-61 | 126.00 | 83.00 | Plain |
| 1640 | GT-60 | 126.00 | 71.00 | " |
| 2245 | GT-59 | 126.00 | 61.00 | " |
| 2975 | GT-58 | 125.00 | 50.00 | " |
| -- | GT-57 | 128.00 | 41.00 | " |

TABLE VI
THE EFFECT OF WEAVE VARIATION
ON POROSITY

| Volumetric Velocity (cfm./ft. ²) (20 Inches Water) | Item Number | Thread Count Per Inch | | Material | Weave |
|---|----------------|--------------------------|---------|----------|-------|
| | | Warp | Filling | | |
| 788 | GT-48 | 122.00 | 70.00 | Dacron | Plain |
| 679 | GT-52 | 123.00 | 77.00 | " | Twill |
| 659 | GT-56 | 123.00 | 78.00 | " | Satin |
| 1150 | GT-47 | 122.00 | 64.00 | " | Plain |
| 1127 | GT-51 | 123.00 | 66.00 | " | Twill |
| 1357 | GT-55 | 123.00 | 66.00 | " | Satin |
| 1614 | GT-46 | 123.00 | 53.00 | " | Plain |
| 1682 | GT-50 | 123.00 | 54.00 | " | Twill |
| 1946 | GT-54 | 122.00 | 56.00 | " | Satin |
| 2334 | GT-45 | 121.00 | 43.50 | " | Plain |
| 2555 | GT-49 | 122.00 | 43.00 | " | Twill |
| 2987 | GT-53 | 122.00 | 44.00 | " | Satin |
| 475 | GT-36 | 103.00 | 70.00 | Orlon | Plain |
| 553 | GT-40 | 103.00 | 70.00 | " | Twill |
| 764 | GT-44 | 102.00 | 70.00 | " | Satin |
| 868 | GT-35 | 104.00 | 61.00 | " | Plain |
| 750 | GT-39 | 103.00 | 61.00 | " | Twill |
| 964 | GT-43 | 101.00 | 60.00 | " | Satin |
| 1506 | GT-34 | 102.00 | 51.00 | " | Plain |
| 1252 | GT-38 | 102.00 | 51.00 | " | Twill |
| 1412 | GT-42 | 100.00 | 52.00 | " | Satin |
| 2425 | GT-33 | 102.00 | 41.00 | " | Plain |
| 1913 | GT-37 | 102.00 | 40.00 | " | Twill |
| 2485 | GT-41 | 102.00 | 40.00 | " | Satin |
| 728 | GT-22 | 142.25 | 82.25 | Nylon | Plain |
| 507 | GT-32 | 143.50 | 83.50 | " | Twill |
| 440 | GT-23 | 139.50 | 84.50 | " | Satin |
| 758 | GT-21 | 141.50 | 73.25 | " | Plain |
| 771 | GT-31 | 141.50 | 72.25 | " | Twill |
| 668 | GT-24 | 138.75 | 74.75 | " | Satin |

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TABLE VI (Continued)
THE EFFECT OF WEAWE VARIATION
ON POROSITY

| Volumetric Velocity (cfm./ft. ²) (20 Inches Water) | Item Number | Thread Count Per Inch | | Material | Weave |
|---|----------------|--------------------------|---------|----------|-------|
| | | Warp | Filling | | |
| 1106 | GT-20 | 140.00 | 62.00 | Nylon | Plain |
| 1012 | GT-30 | 141.50 | 62.75 | " | Twill |
| 1100 | GT-25 | 139.00 | 64.00 | " | Satin |
| 1486 | GT-19 | 139.25 | 52.00 | " | Plain |
| 1553 | GT-29 | 140.00 | 52.00 | " | Twill |
| 1708 | GT-26 | 138.25 | 53.00 | " | Satin |
| 2282 | GT-18 | 137.00 | 41.00 | " | Plain |
| 2400 | GT-28 | 139.50 | 42.00 | " | Twill |
| 2787 | GT-27 | 137.50 | 42.50 | " | Satin |
| 544 | GT-8 | 78.00 | 88.00 | " | Plain |
| 1228 | GT-16 | 75.50 | 82.50 | " | Twill |
| 828 | GT-2 | 75.50 | 91.00 | " | Satin |
| 864 | GT-9 | 78.50 | 73.00 | " | Plain |
| 1553 | GT-15 | 74.00 | 73.00 | " | Twill |
| 1372 | GT-3 | 75.50 | 75.00 | " | Satin |
| 1974 | GT-10 | 78.50 | 64.50 | " | Plain |
| 2038 | GT-14 | 74.50 | 63.00 | " | Twill |
| 1788 | GT-4 | 76.00 | 63.50 | " | Satin |
| 3287 | GT-11 | 77.00 | 53.50 | " | Plain |
| 3033 | GT-13 | 74.50 | 53.00 | " | Twill |
| 2839 | GT-5 | 76.00 | 55.00 | " | Satin |

TABLE VII

COMPARISON OF UNFINISHED AND
FINISHED PERMEABILITY DATA

| <u>Static Pressure</u> (Inches of Water) | <u>Unfinished</u> <u>Mass</u> <u>Velocity</u> (cfm ft. ⁻²) | <u>Finished</u> <u>Mass</u> <u>Velocity</u> (cfm ft. ⁻²) | <u>Unfinished</u> <u>Relative</u> <u>Porosity</u> | <u>Finished</u> <u>Relative</u> <u>Porosity</u> |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Unfinished GT 57 Finished GT 18 | | | | |
| 1 | 885 | 454 | 24.9 | 12.5 |
| 3 | 1535 | 799 | 24.9 | 13.0 |
| 5 | 1970 | 1047 | 25.0 | 13.2 |
| 7 | 2343 | 1268 | 25.1 | 13.5 |
| 10 | 2830 | 1552 | 25.3 | 13.8 |
| 15 | 3490 | 1945 | 25.5 | 14.1 |
| Unfinished GT 58 Finished GT 19 | | | | |
| 3 | 1150 | 513 | 18.4 | 8.6 |
| 5 | 1428 | 691 | 18.4 | 8.8 |
| 7 | 1745 | 821 | 18.5 | 8.9 |
| 10 | 2080 | 1016 | 18.6 | 9.1 |
| 15 | 2568 | 1280 | 18.6 | 9.2 |
| 20 | 2975 | 1486 | 18.7 | 9.4 |
| 30 | 3630 | 1863 | 18.8 | 9.6 |
| Unfinished GT 59 Finished GT 20 | | | | |
| 3 | 913 | 395 | 13.9 | 6.4 |
| 5 | 1117 | 506 | 14.0 | 6.5 |
| 7 | 1320 | 608 | 14.1 | 6.6 |
| 10 | 1590 | 744 | 14.1 | 6.7 |
| 15 | 1940 | 932 | 14.2 | 6.8 |
| 20 | 2245 | 1106 | 14.2 | 7.0 |
| 30 | 2780 | 1380 | 14.3 | 7.1 |
| 40 | -- | 1618 | 14.4 | 7.3 |

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TABLE VII (Continued)

COMPARISON OF UNFINISHED AND
FINISHED PERMEABILITY DATA

| <u>Static Pressure</u> (Inches of Water) | <u>Unfinished</u> <u>Mass</u> <u>Velocity</u> (cfm ft. ⁻²) | <u>Finished</u> <u>Mass</u> <u>Velocity</u> (cfm ft. ⁻²) | <u>Unfinished</u> <u>Relative</u> <u>Porosity</u> | <u>Finished</u> <u>Relative</u> <u>Porosity</u> |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Unfinished GT 60 Finished GT 21 | | | | |
| 3 | 627 | 259 | 10.0 | 4.2 |
| 5 | 788 | 338 | 10.0 | 4.3 |
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| Unfinished GT 61 Finished GT 22 | | | | |
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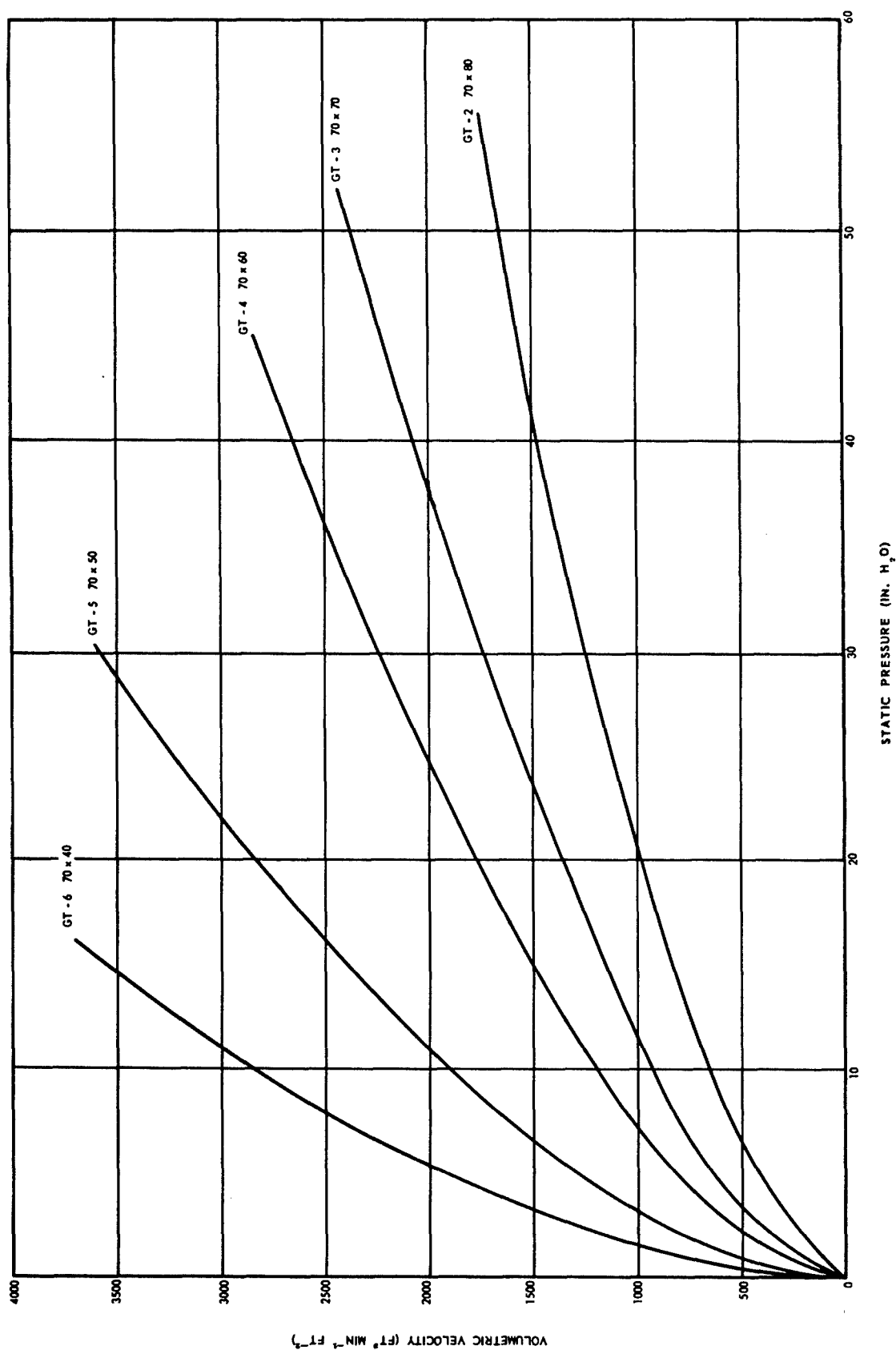


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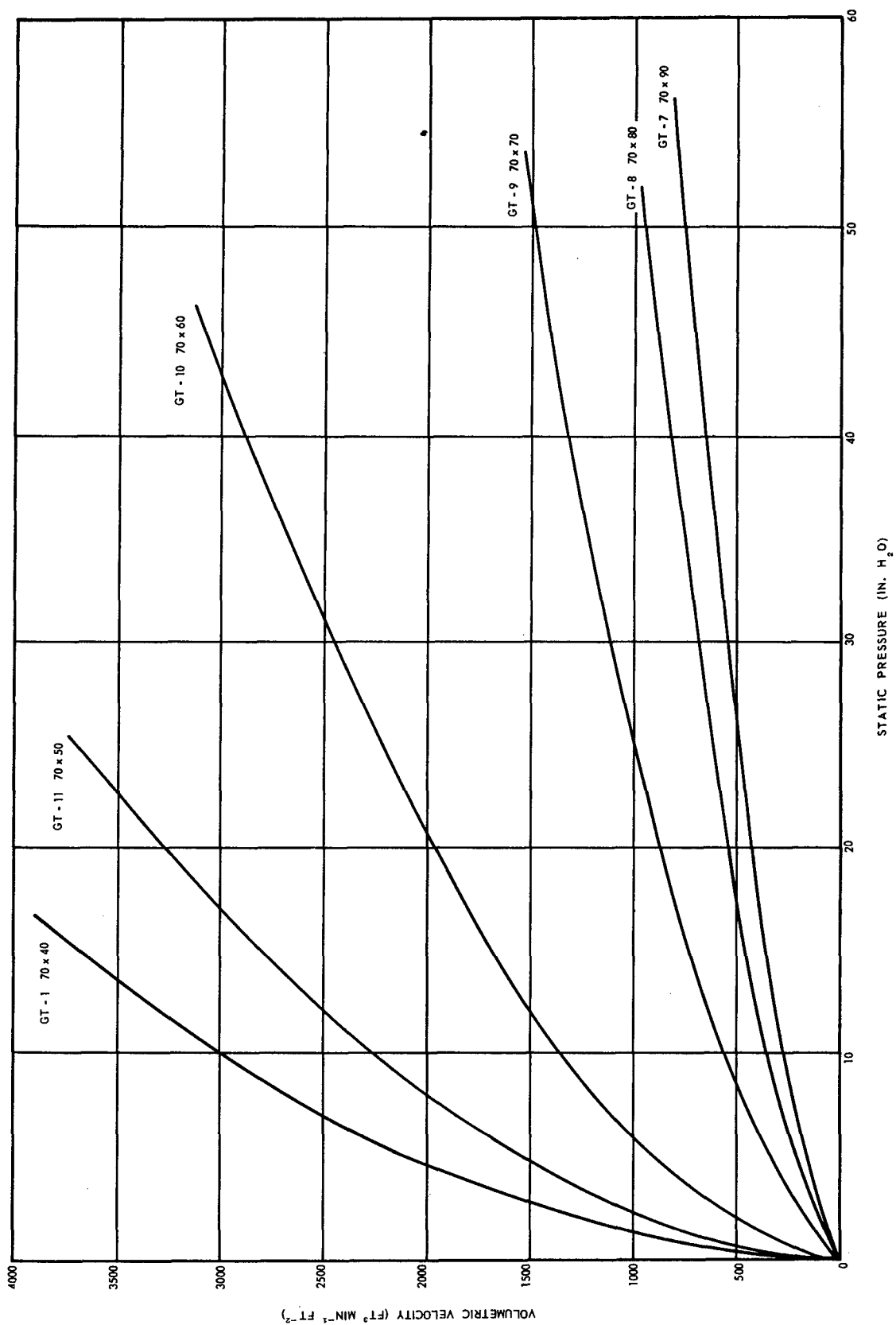


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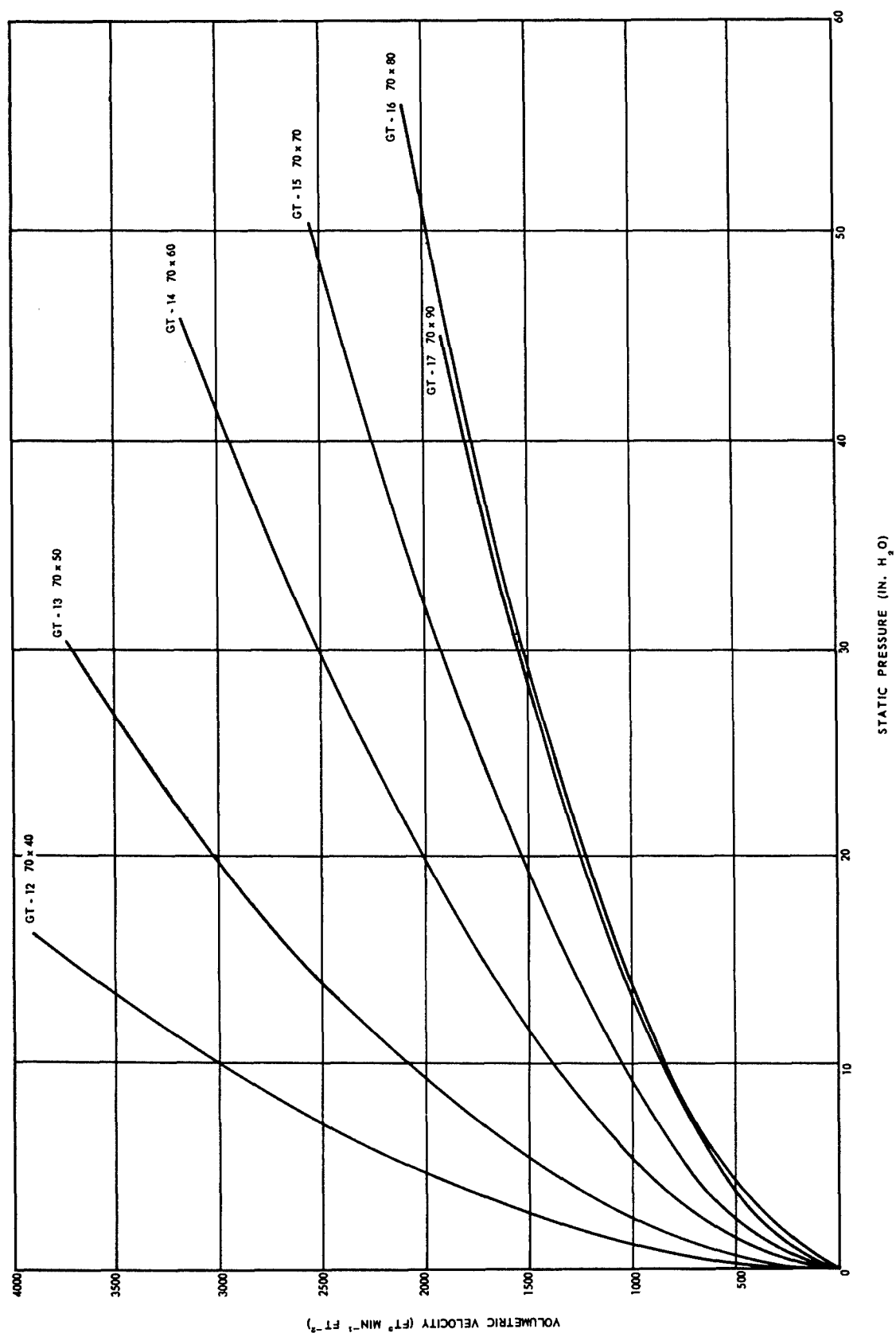


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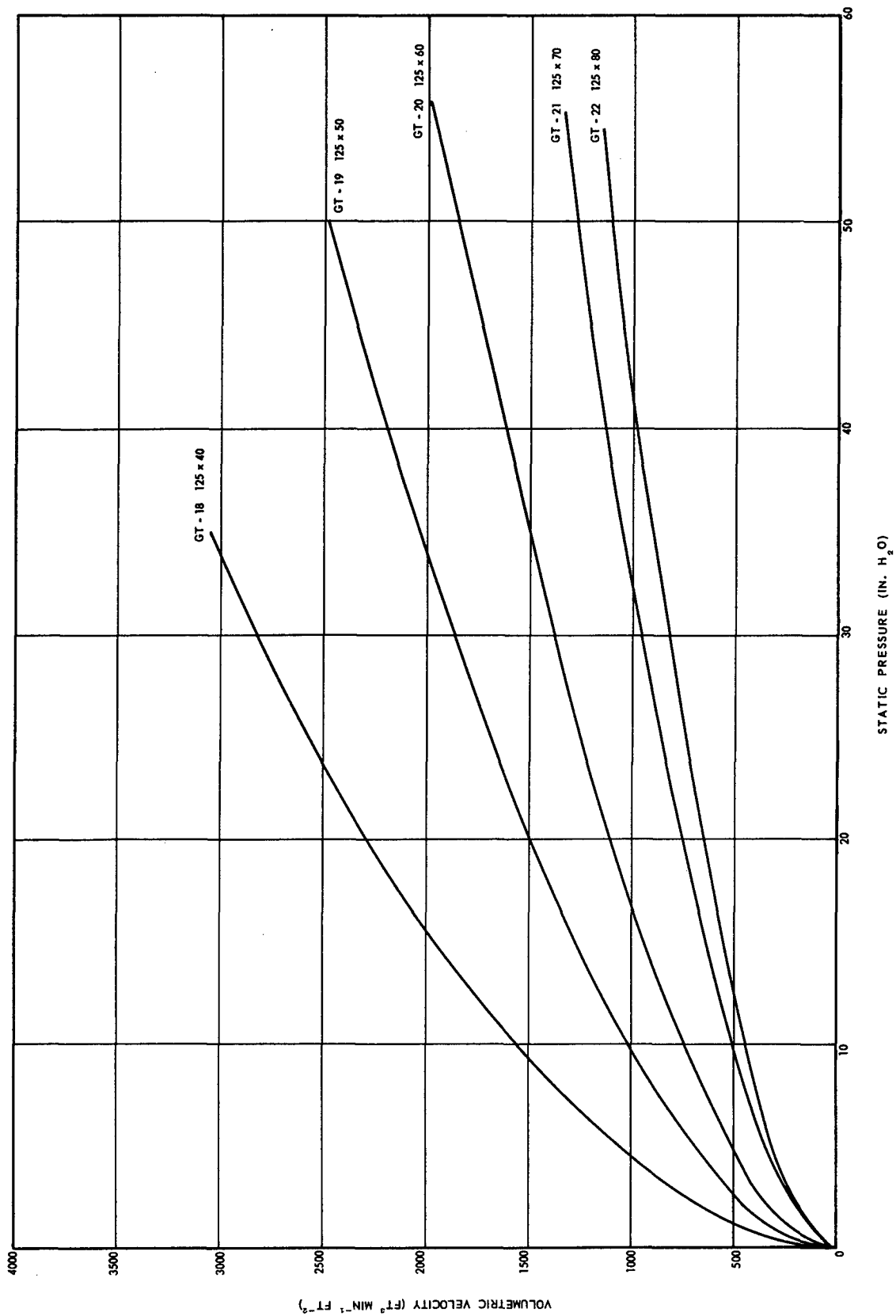


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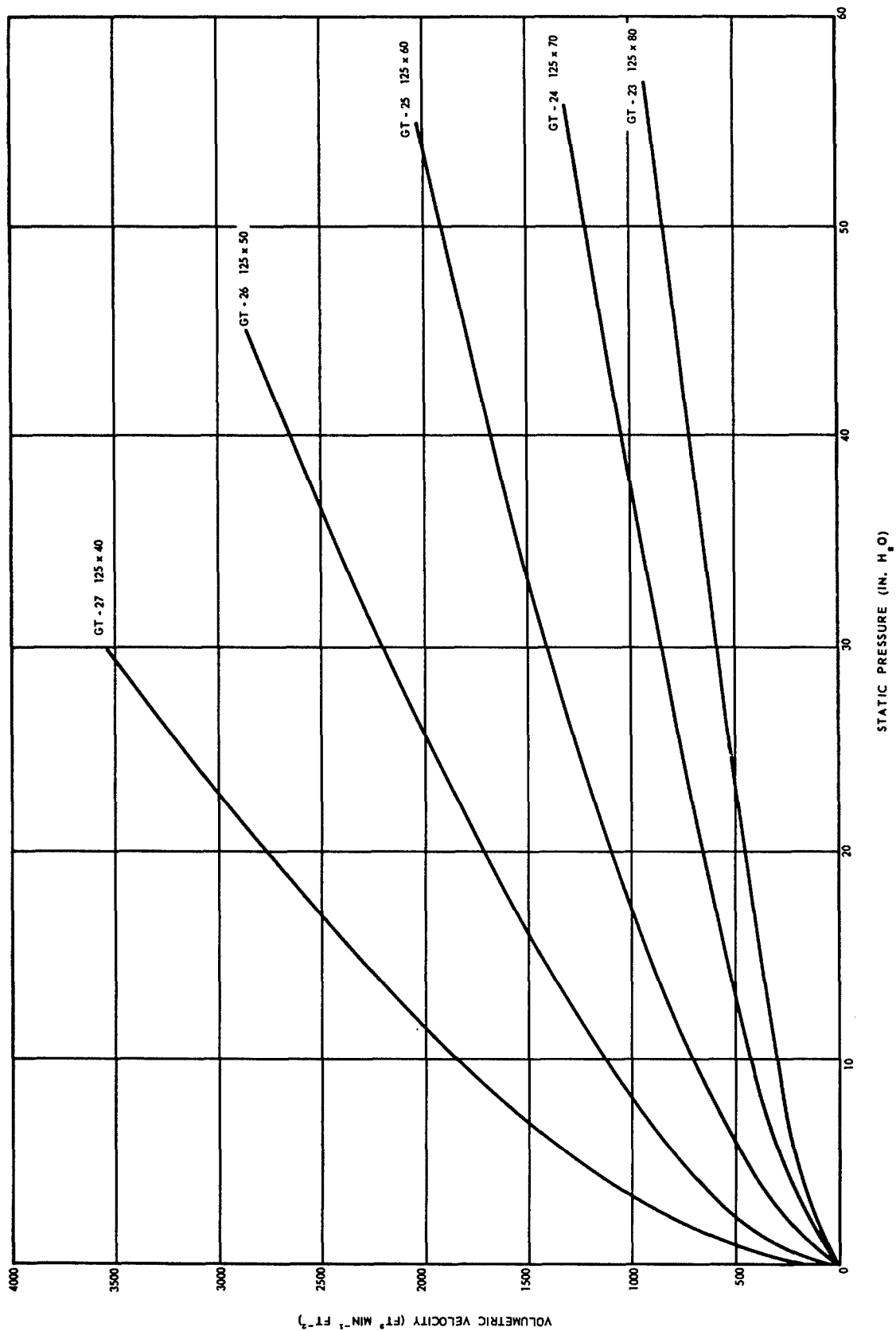


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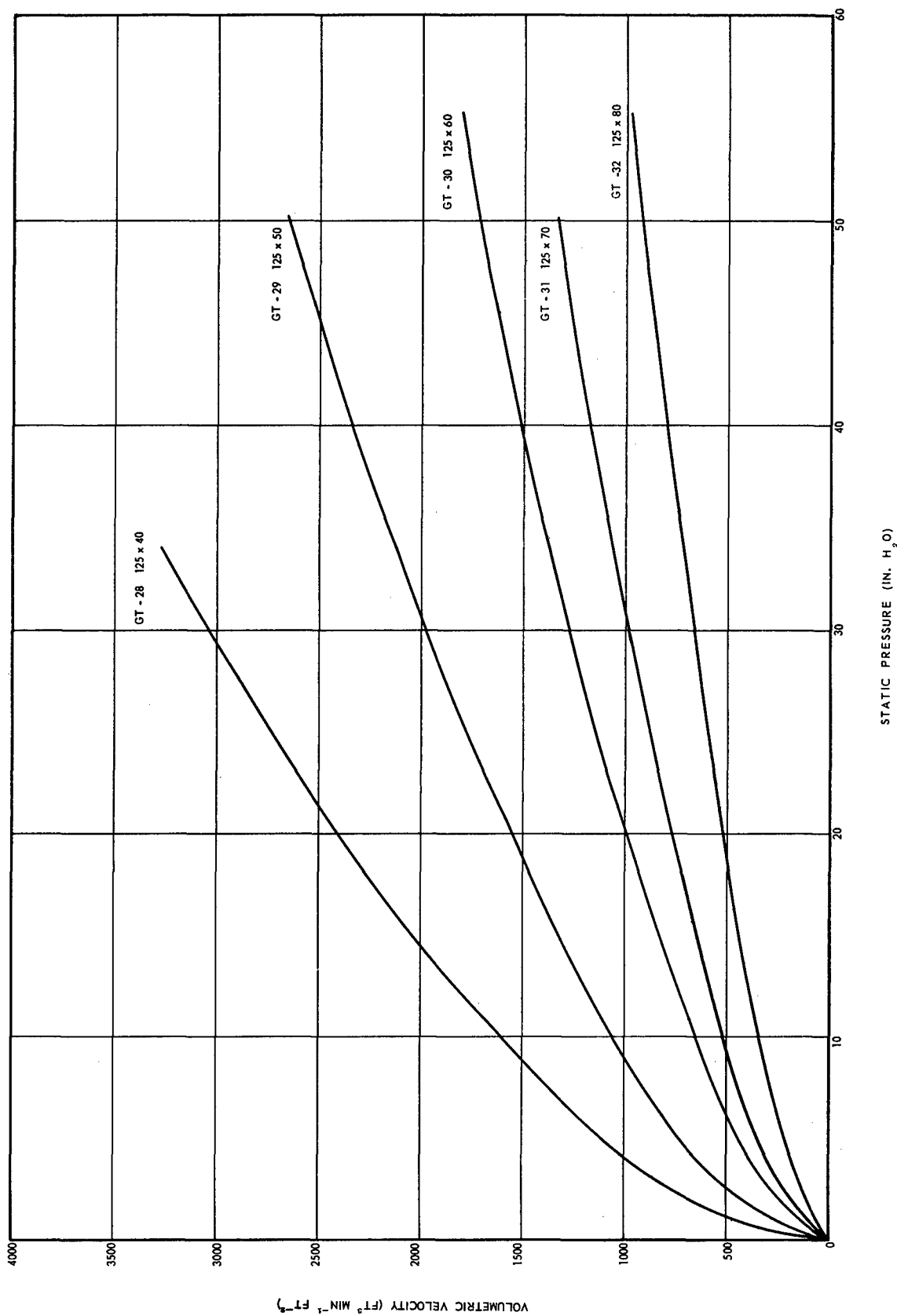


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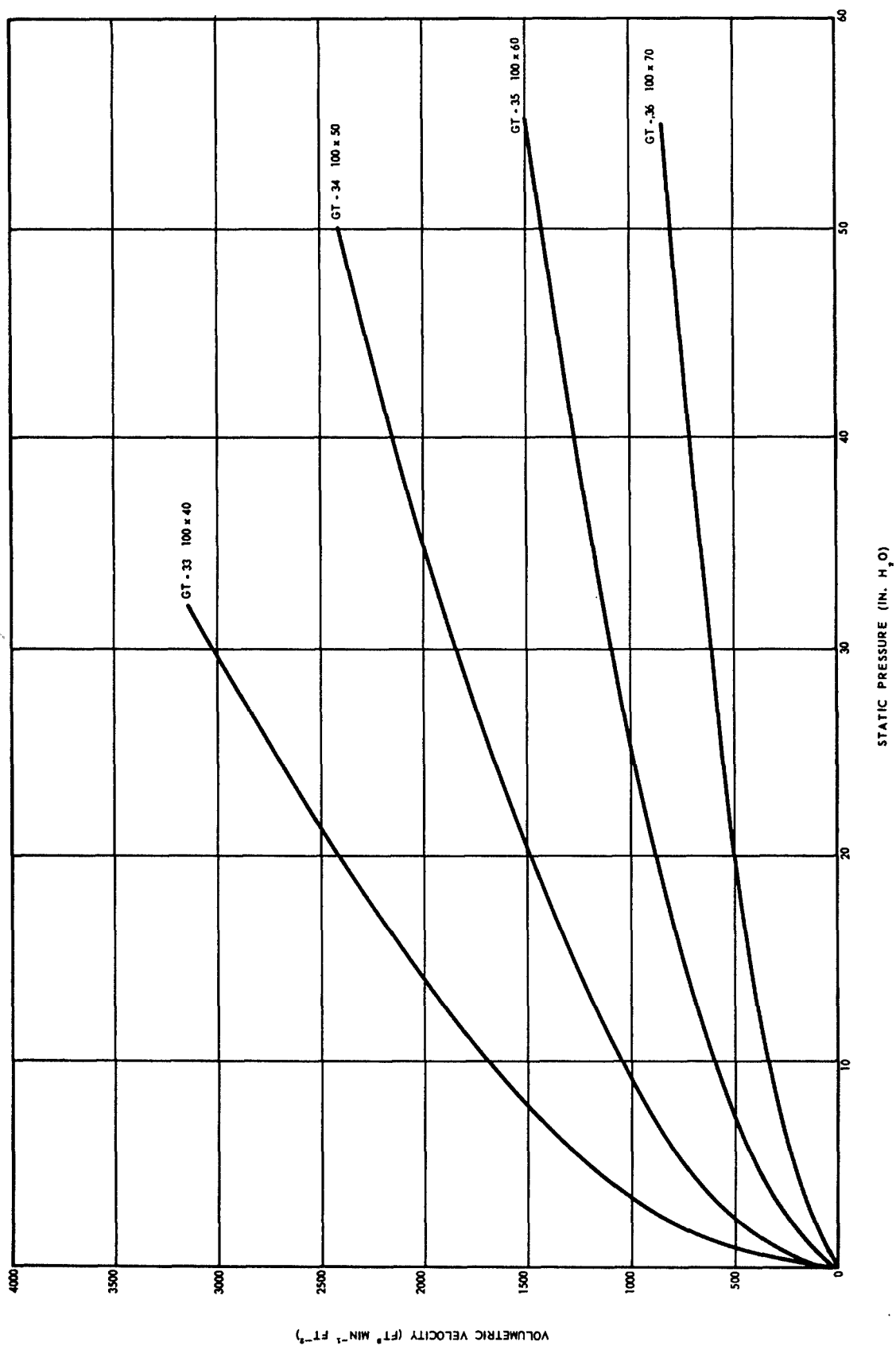


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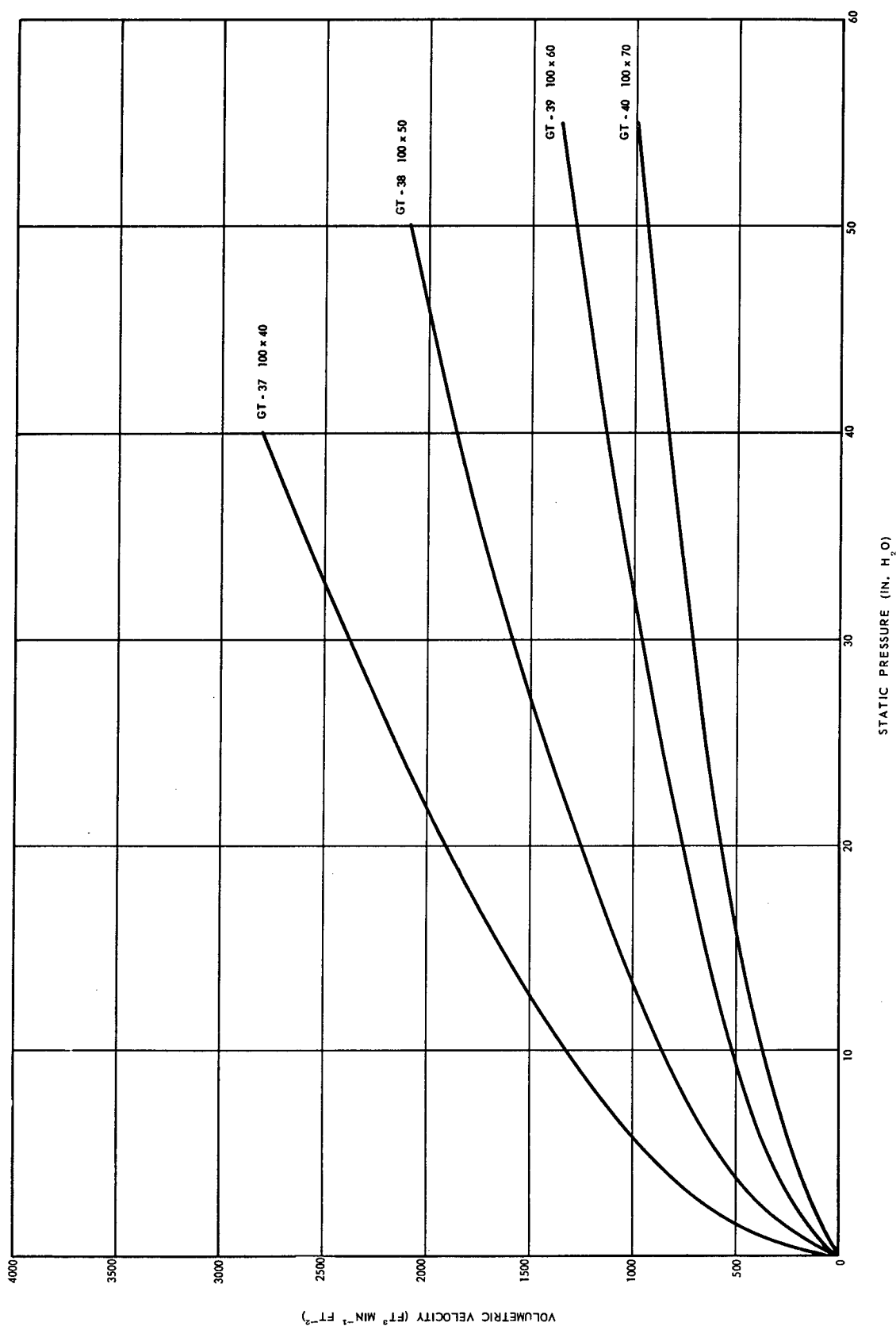


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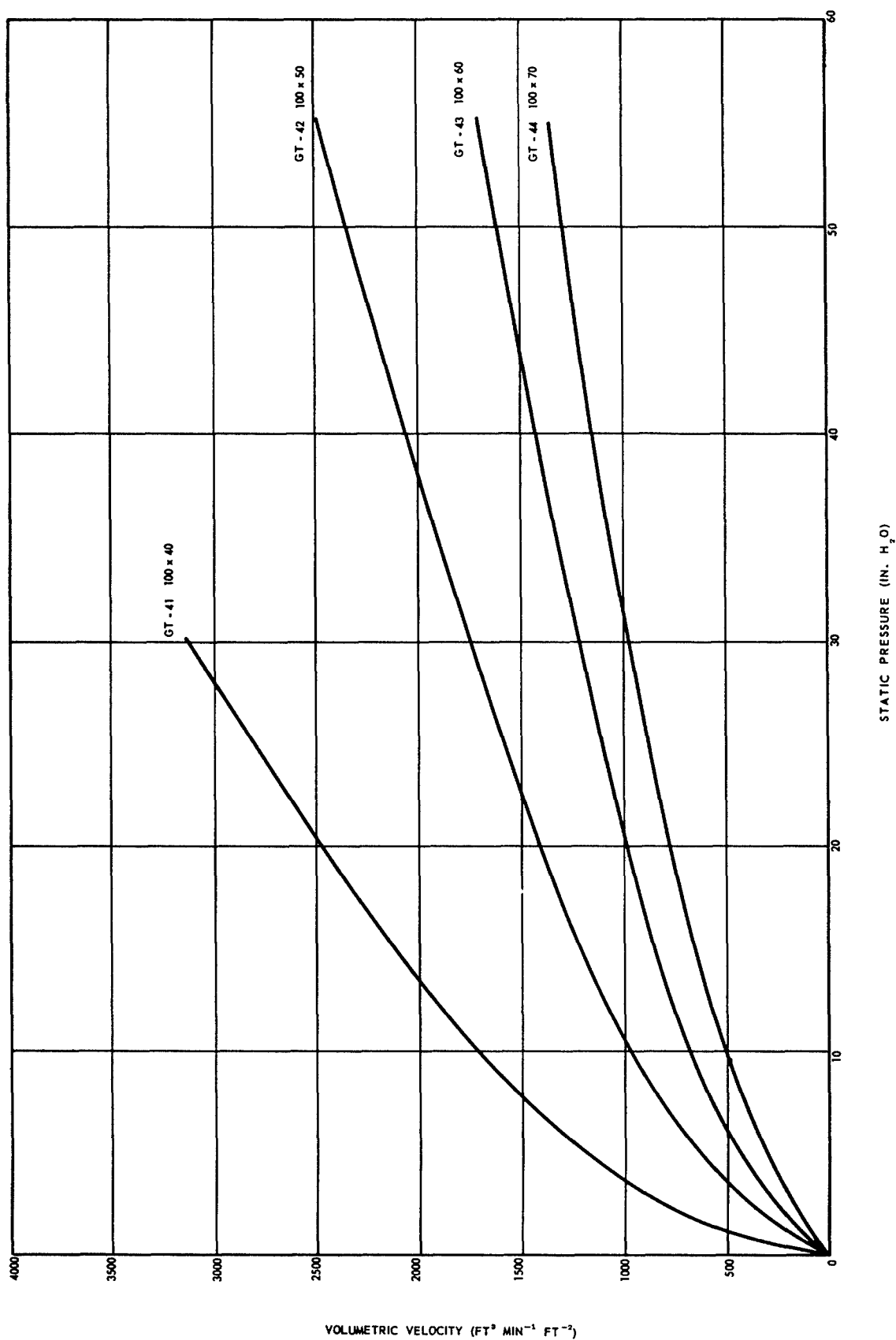


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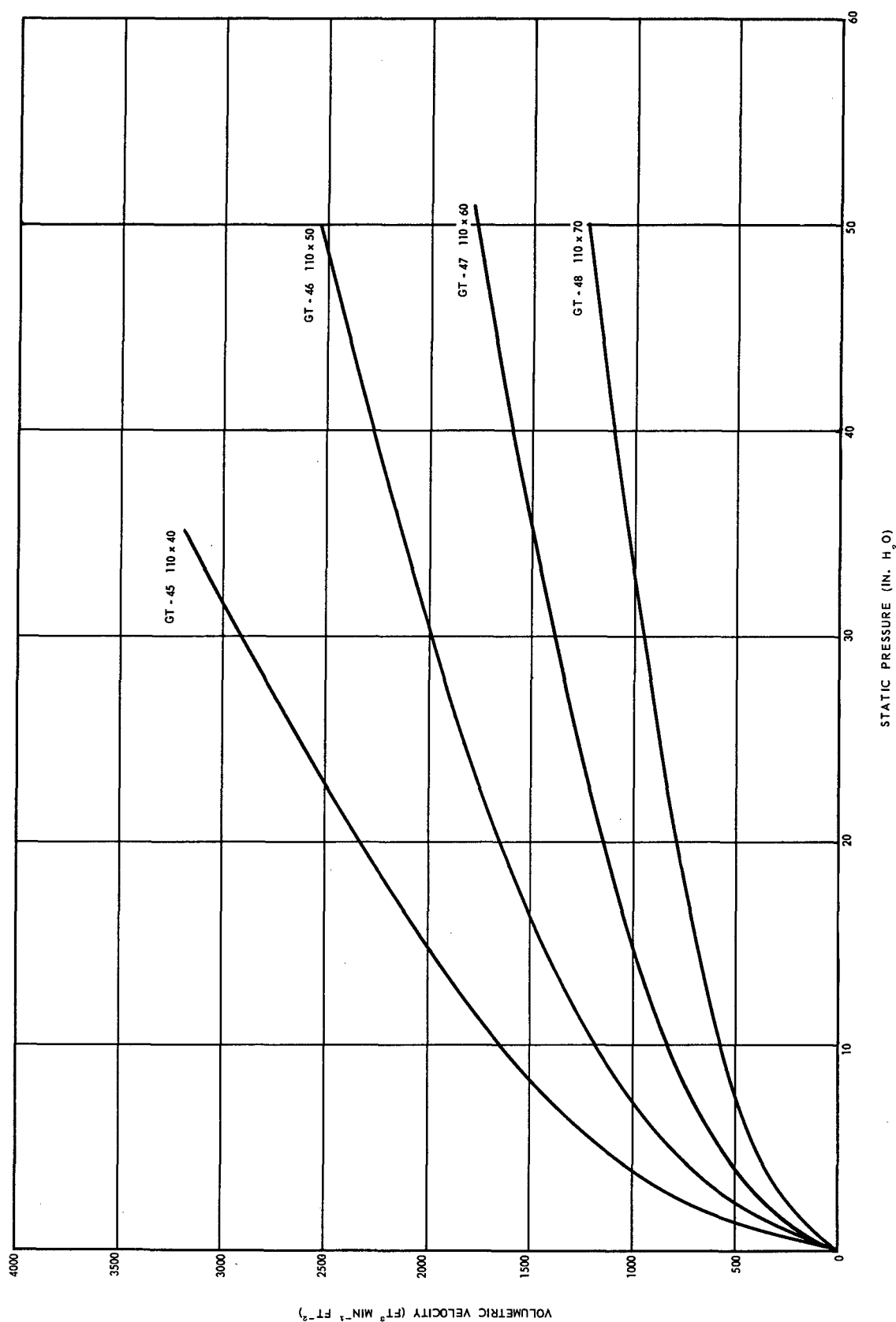


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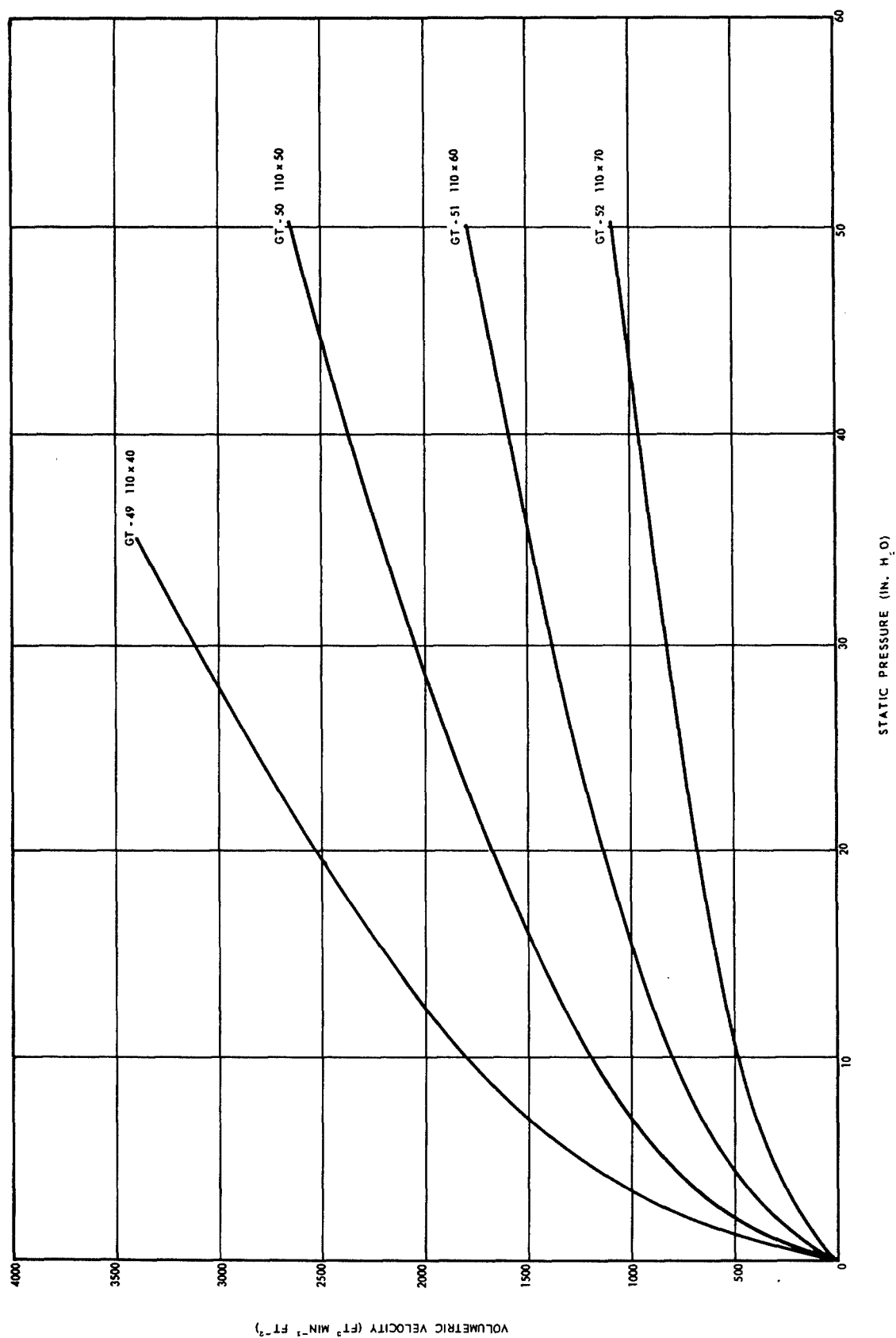


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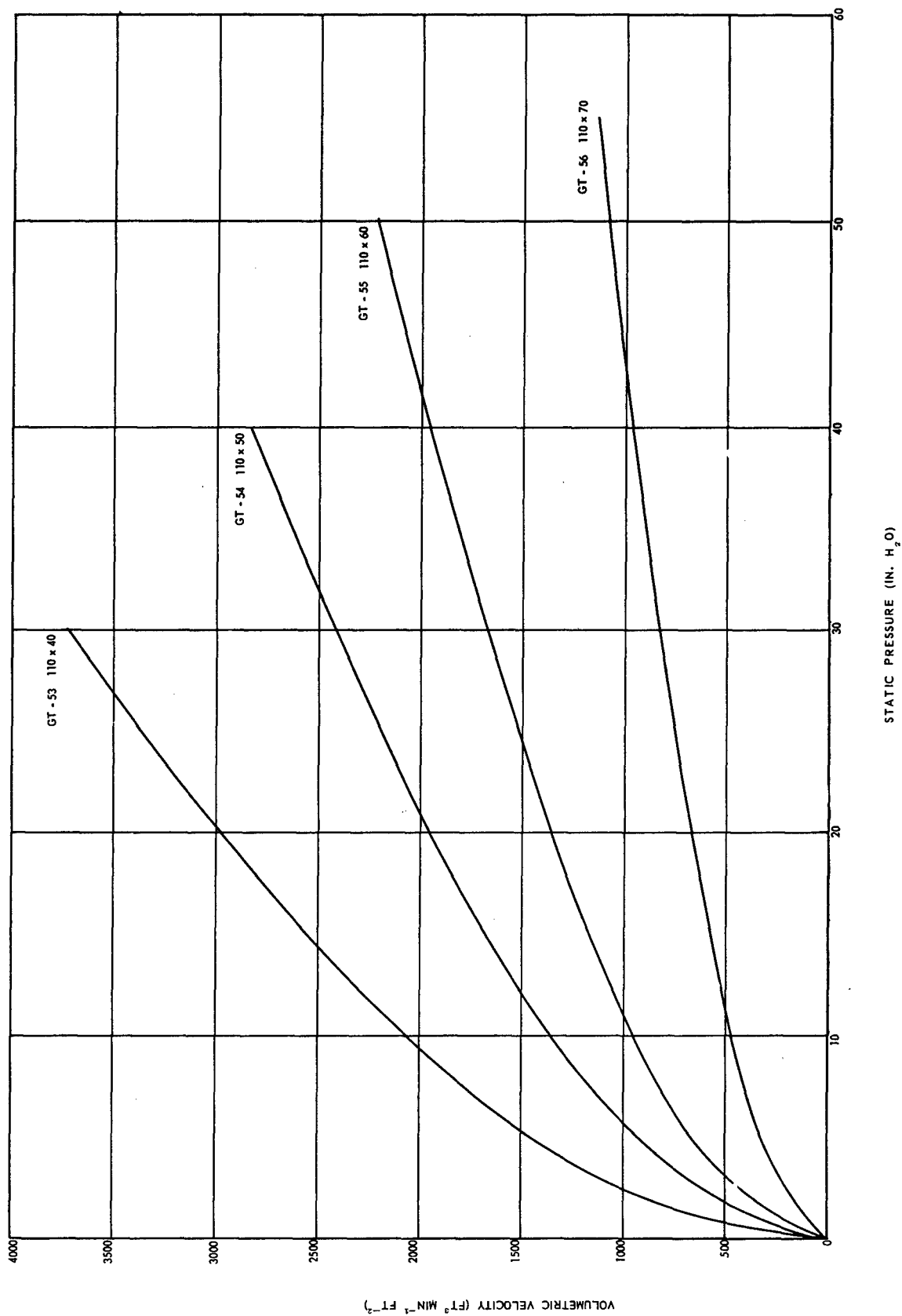


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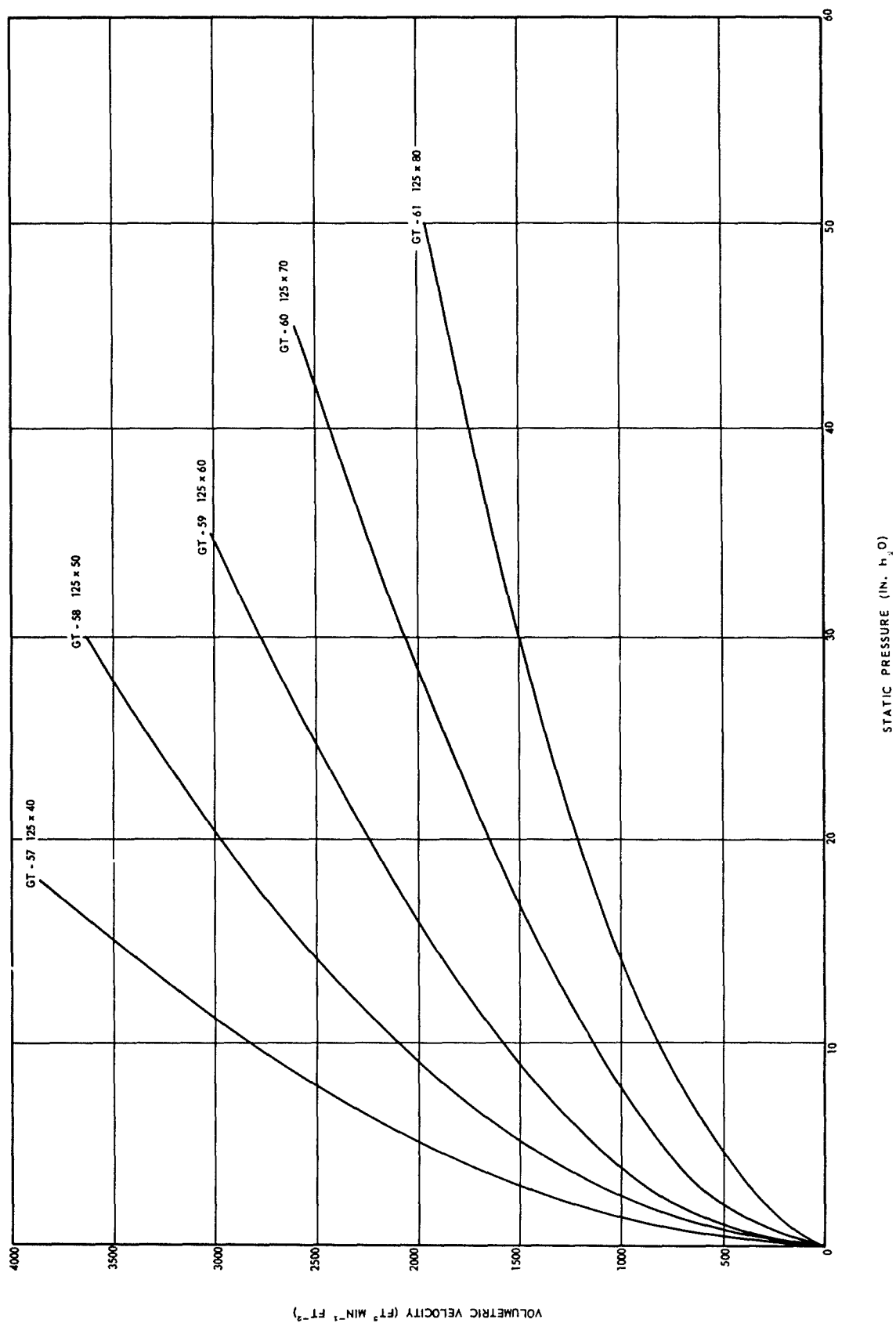


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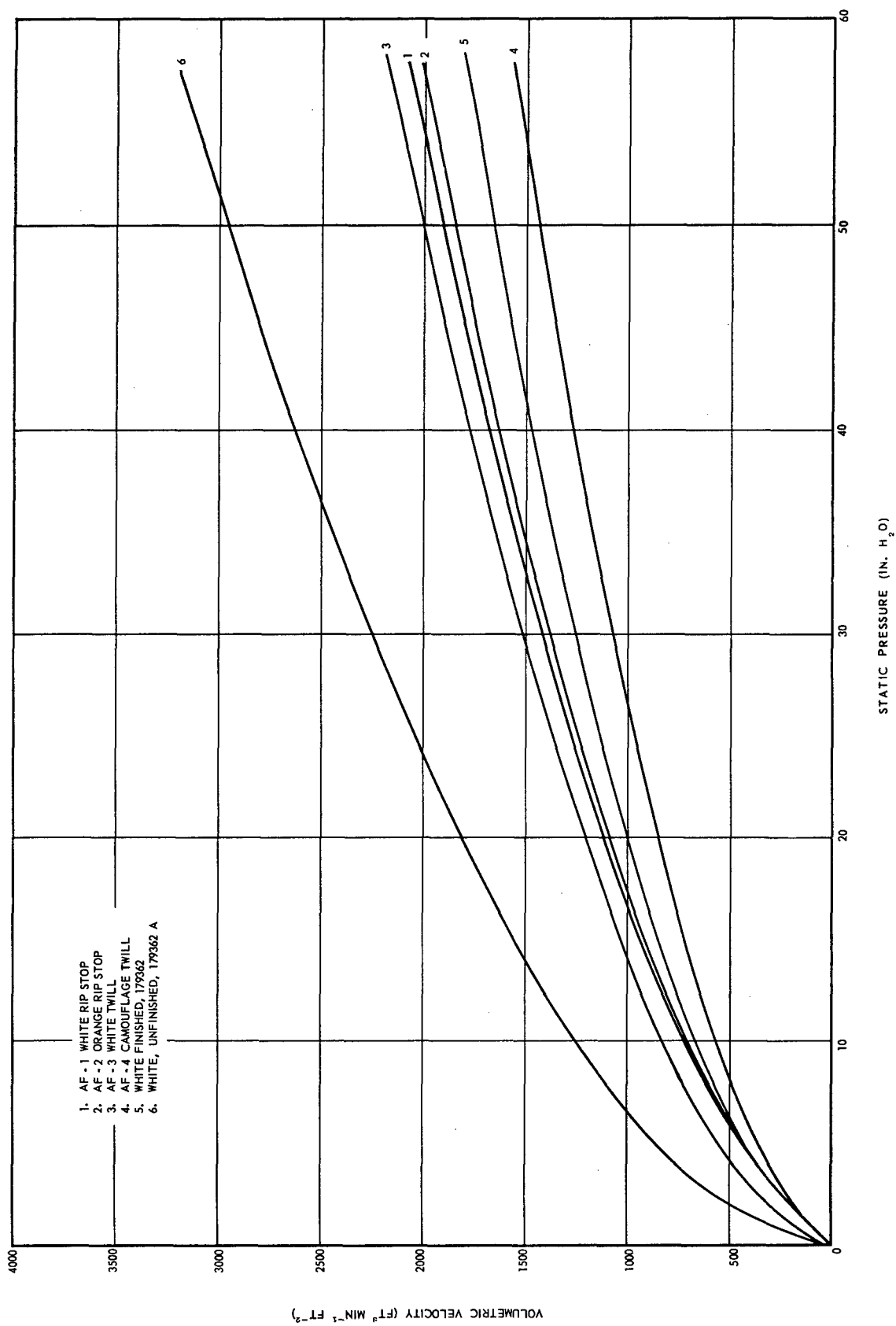


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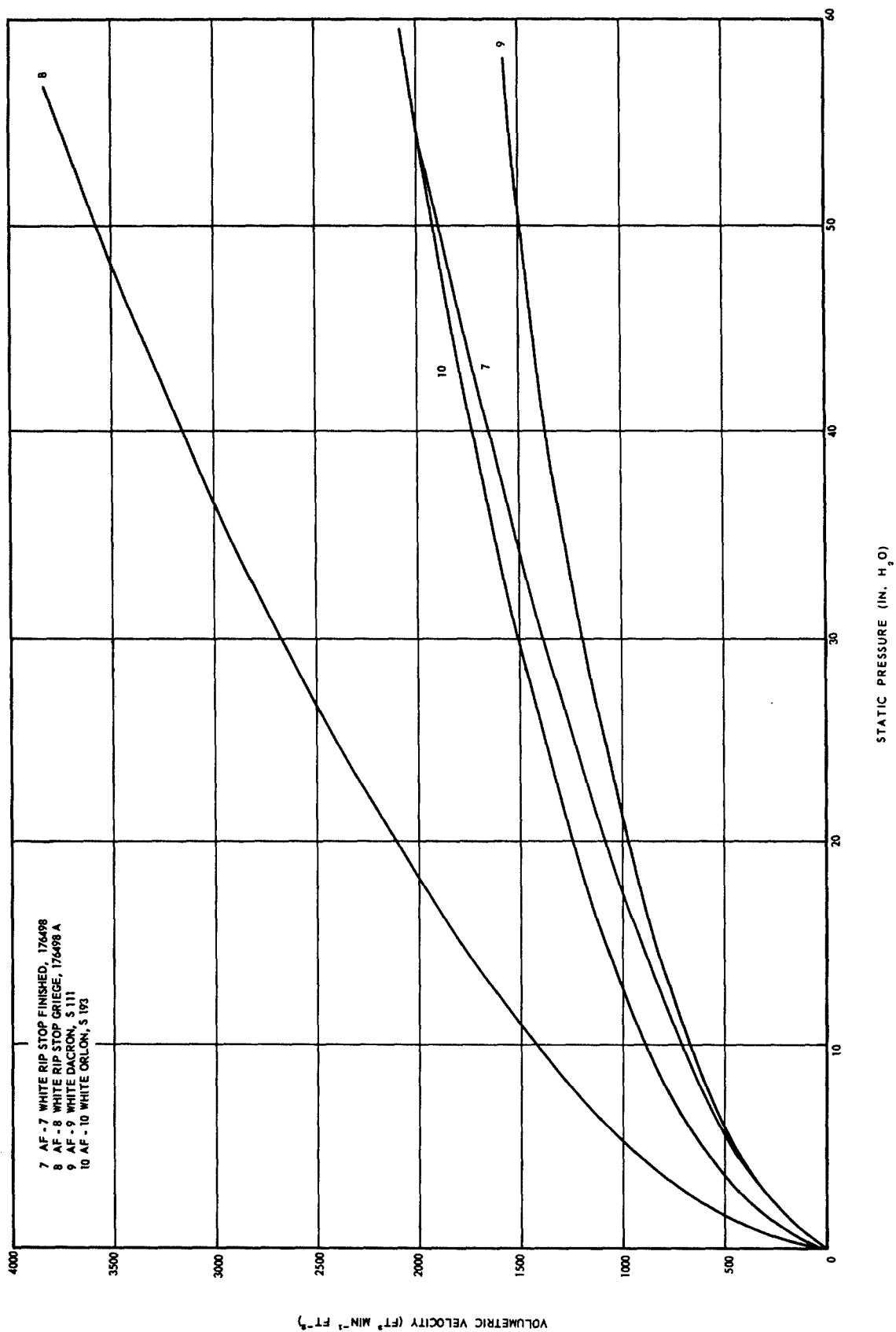


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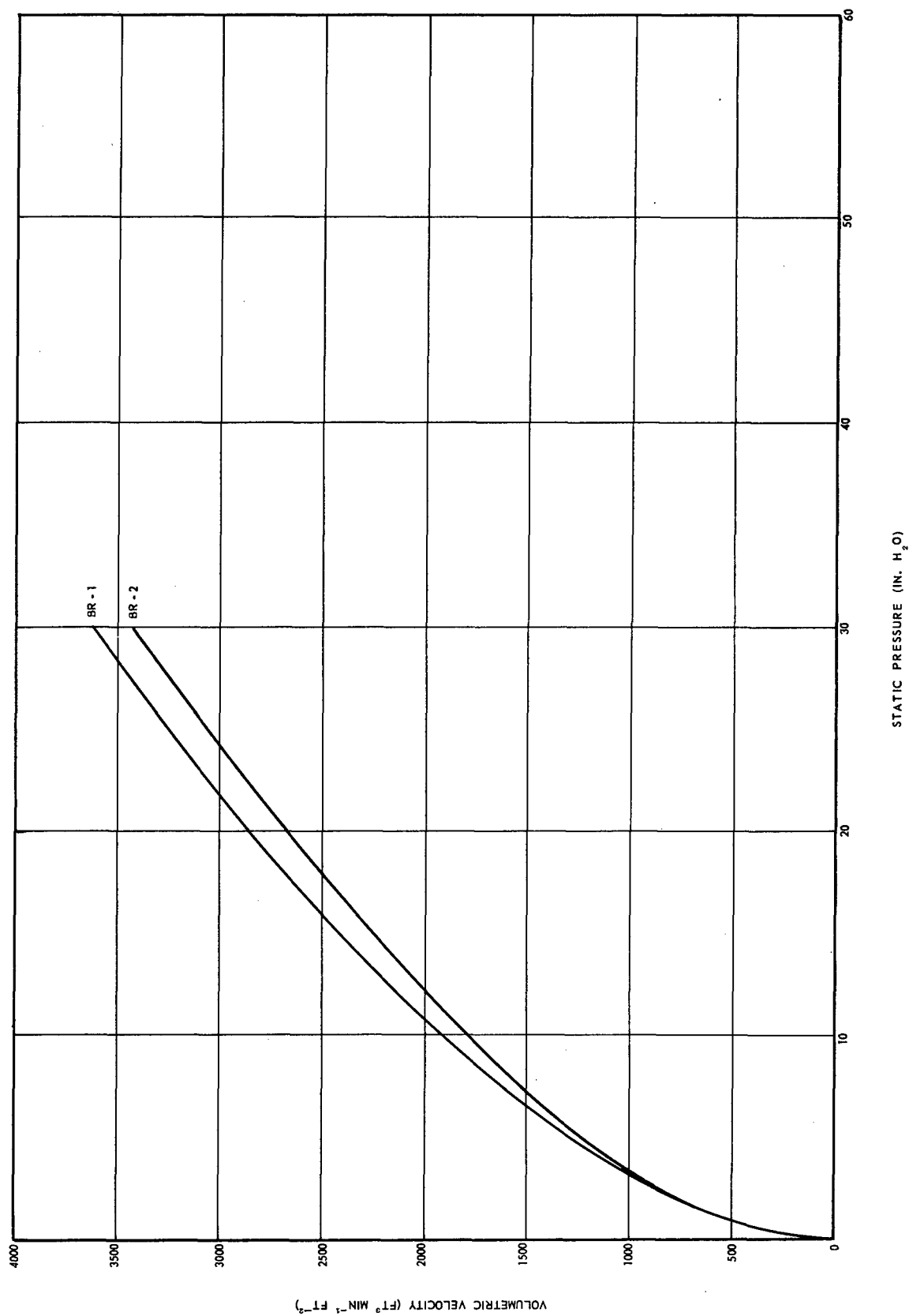


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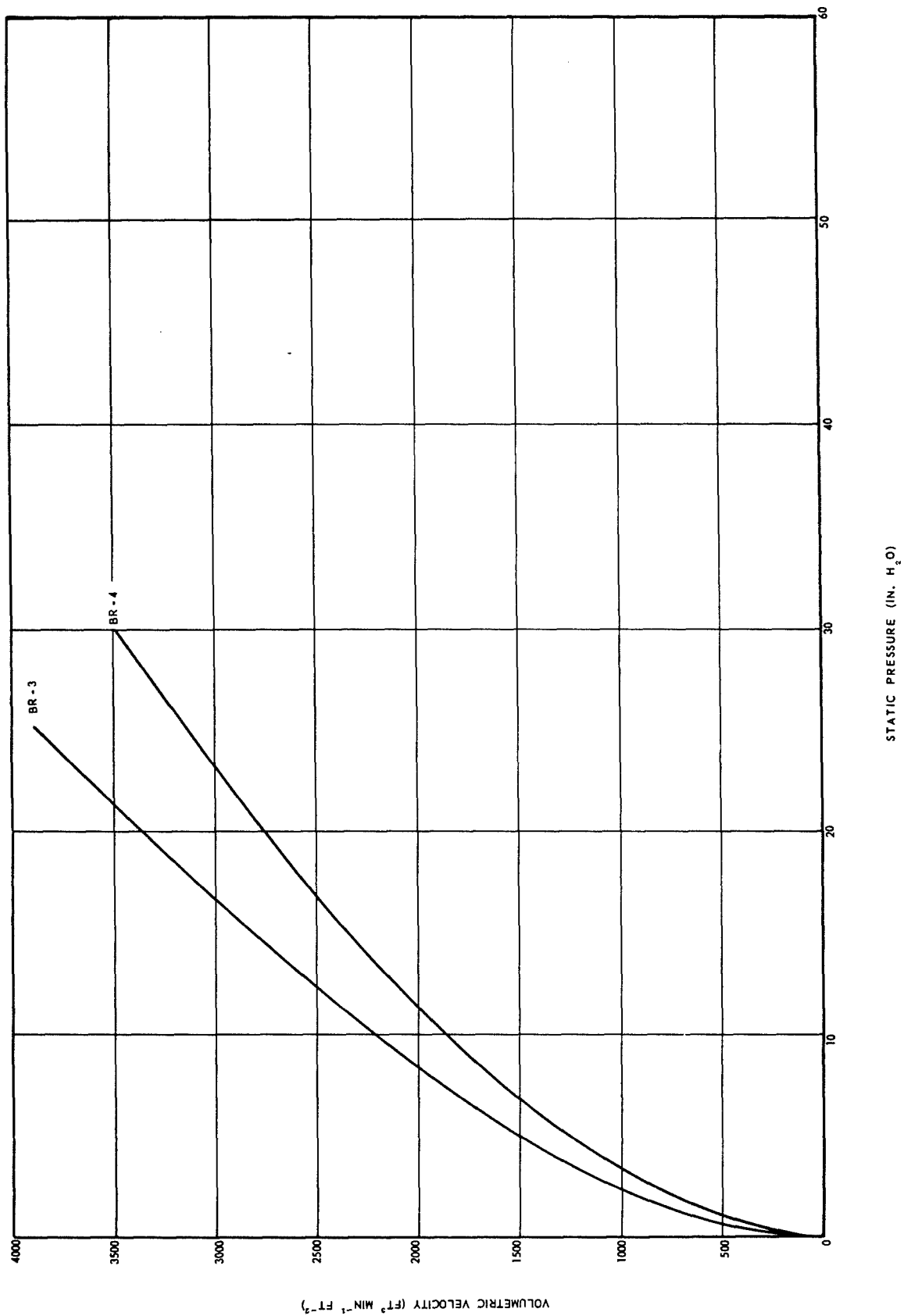


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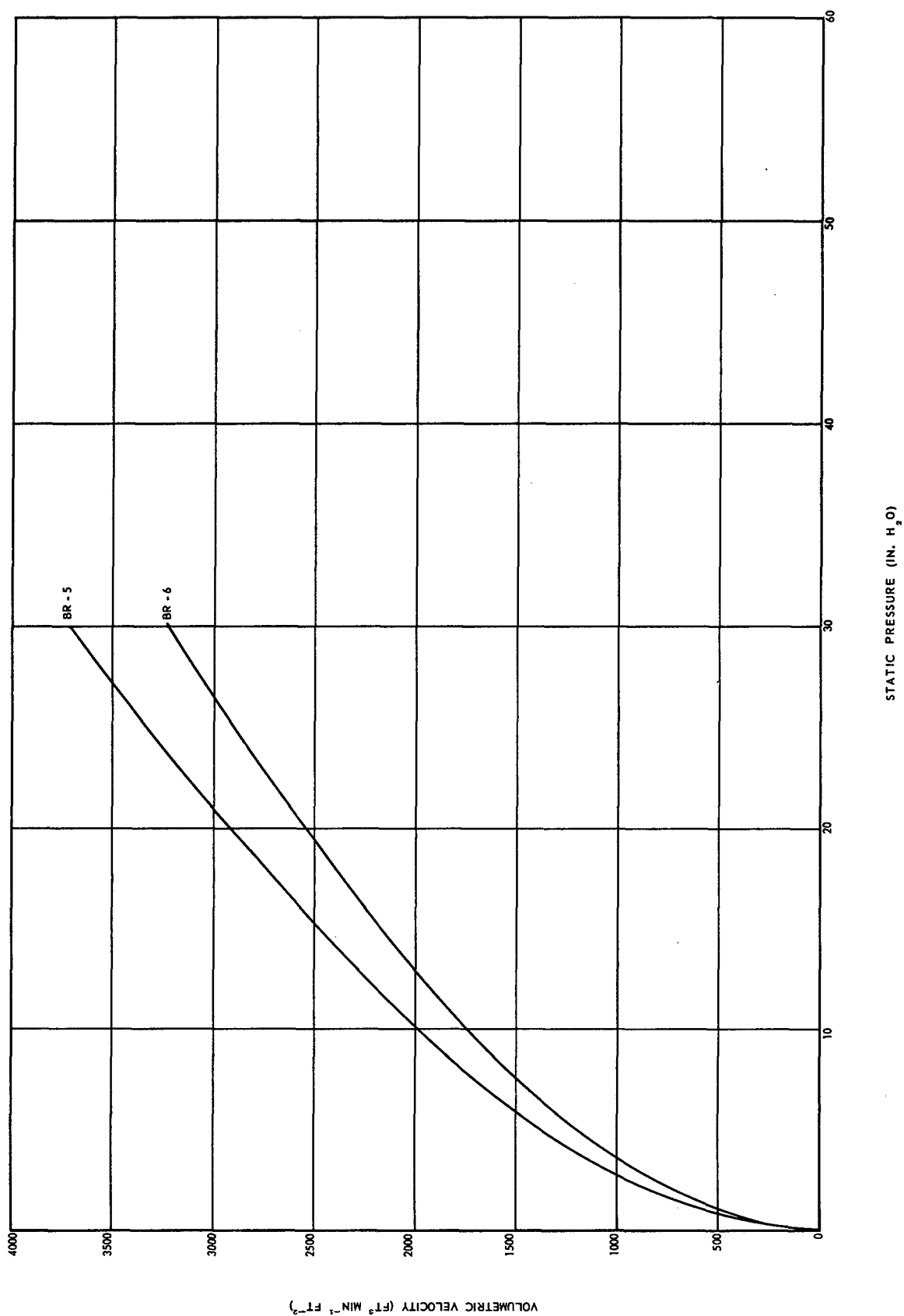


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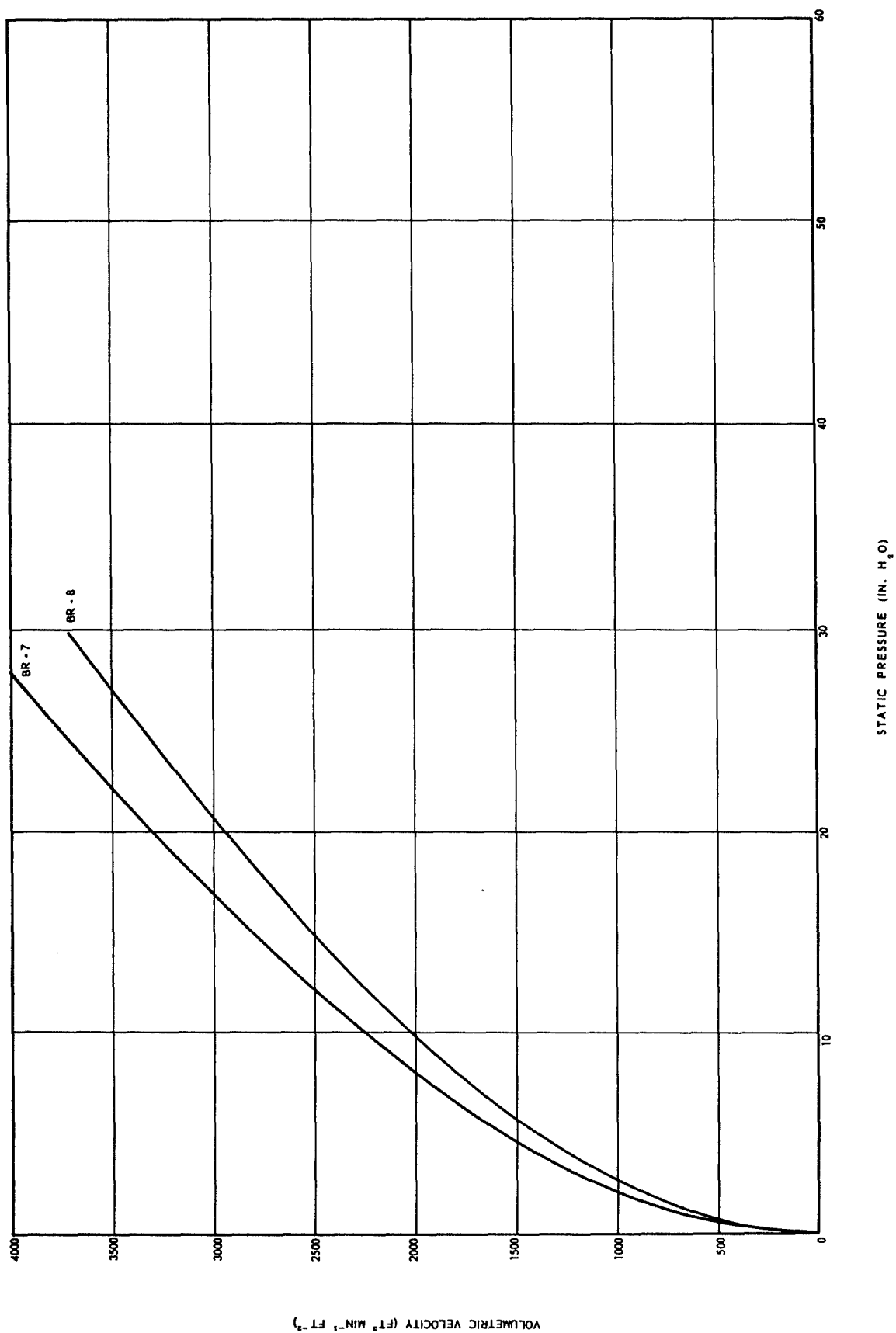


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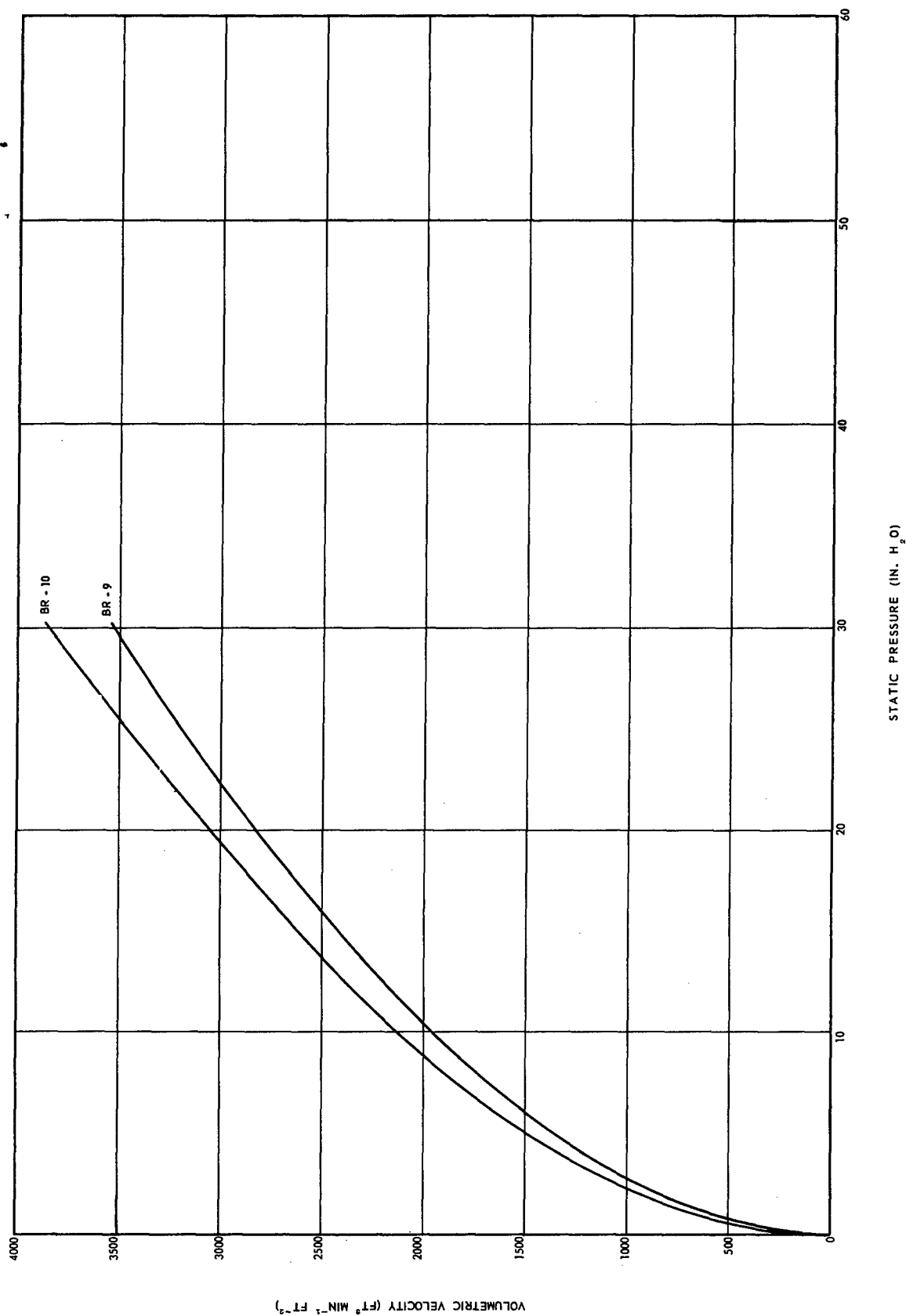


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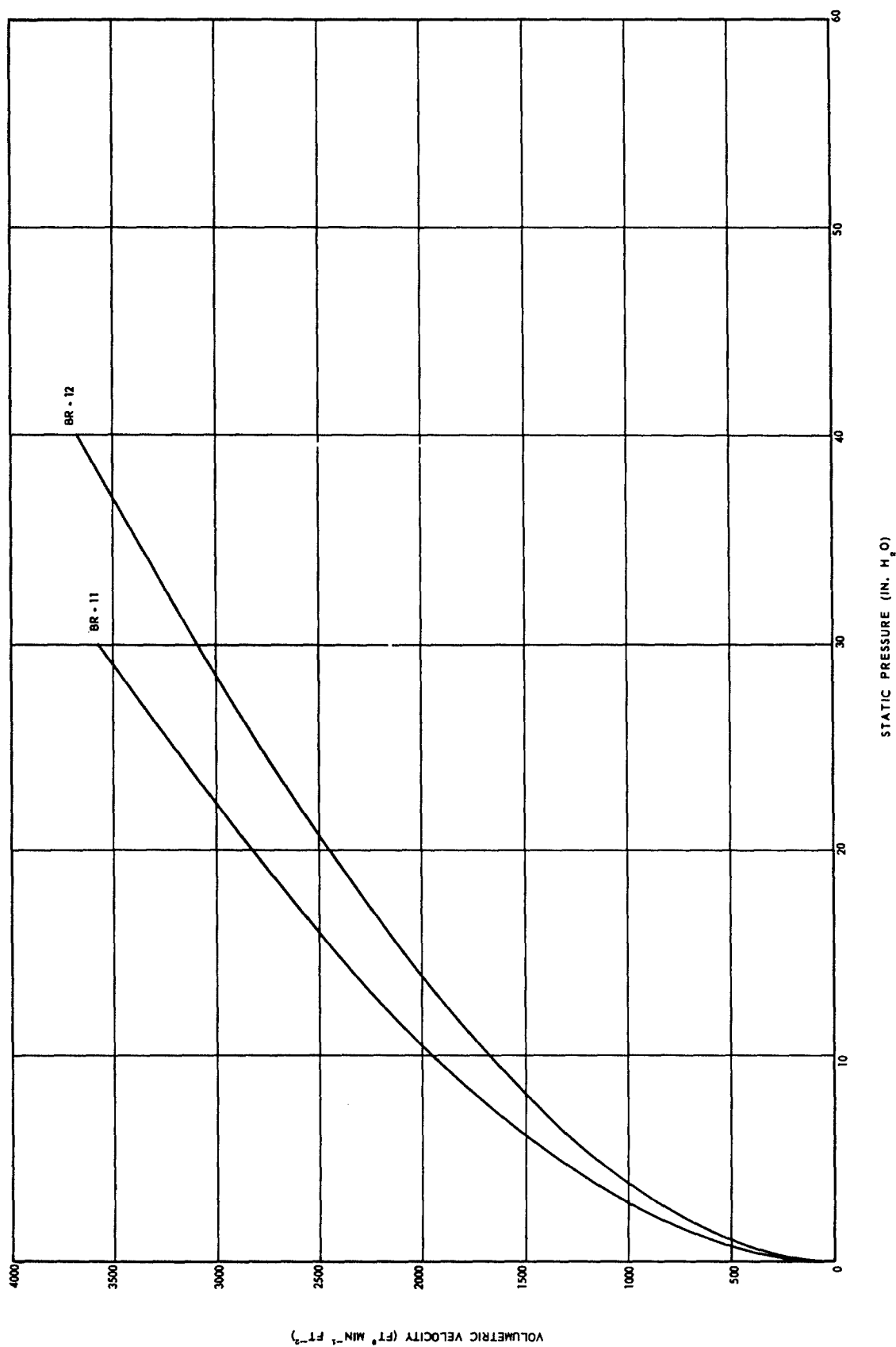


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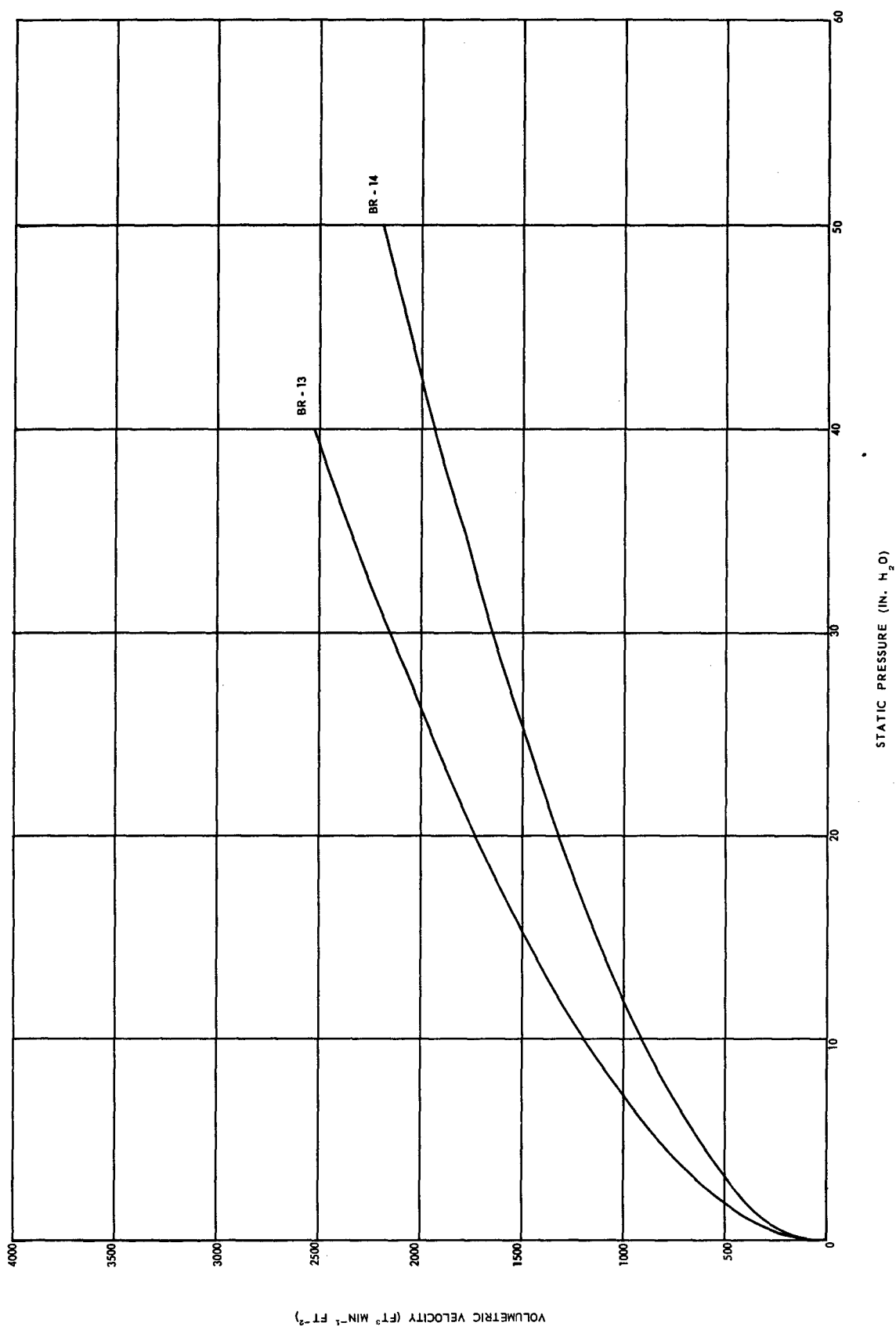


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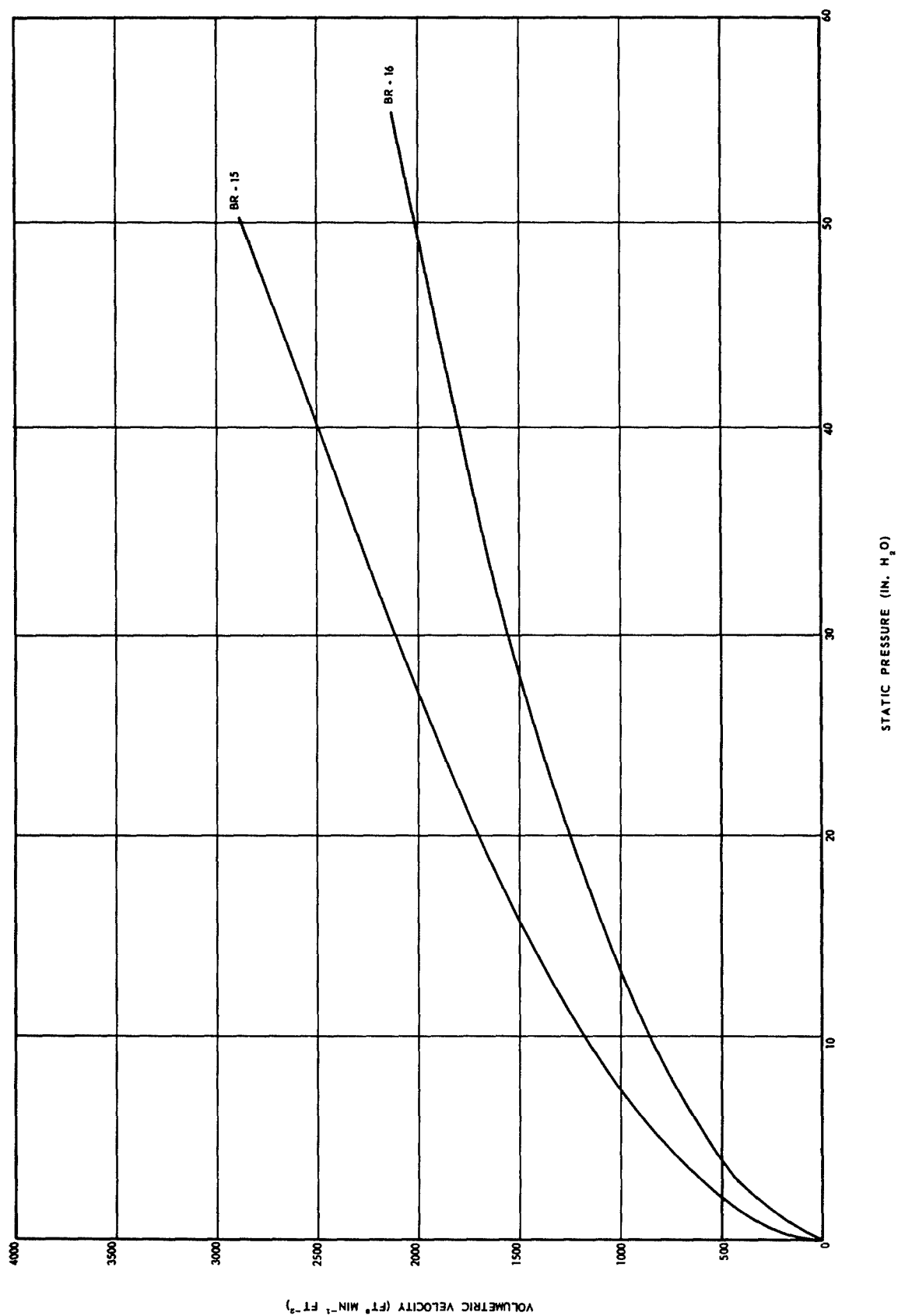


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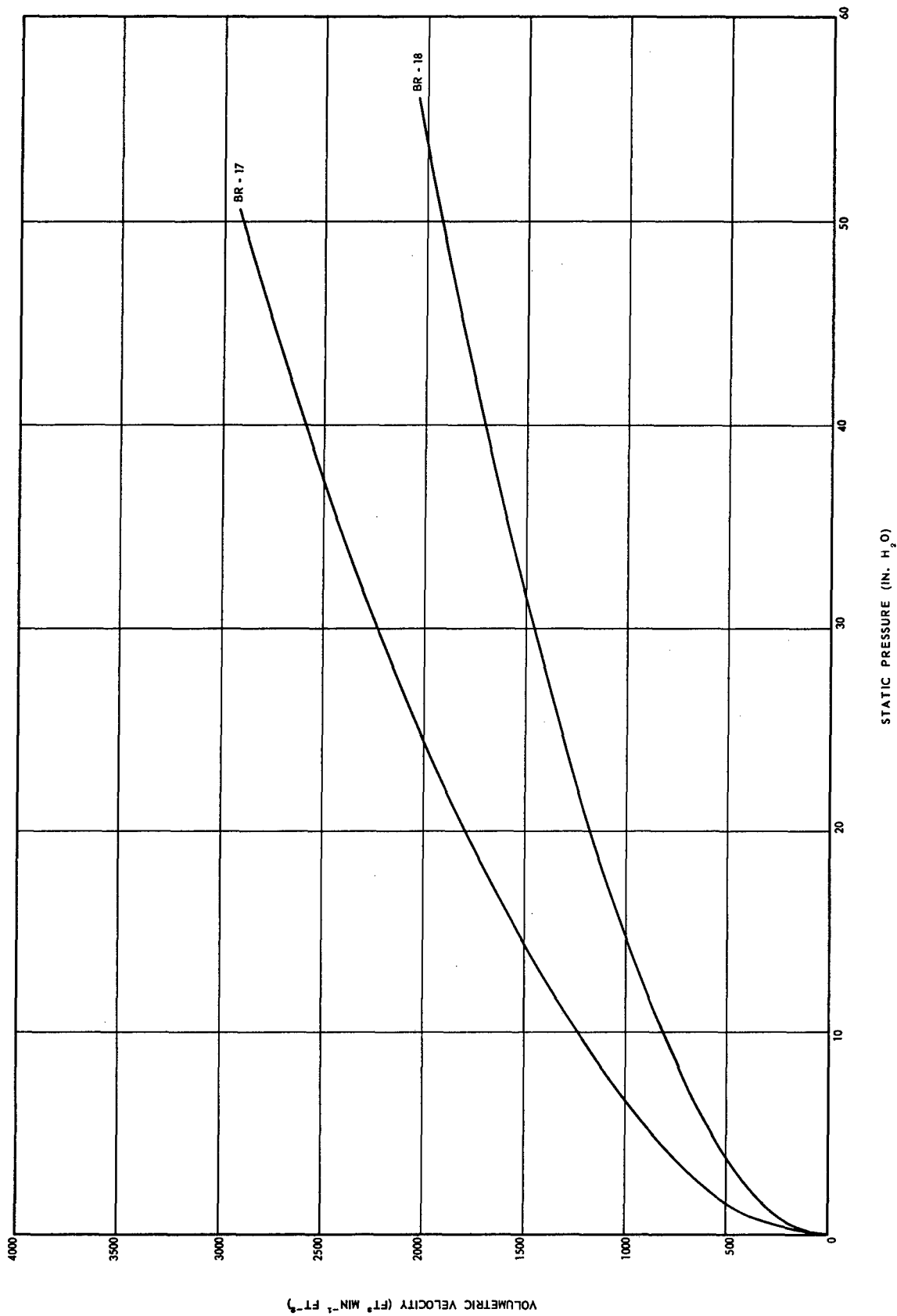


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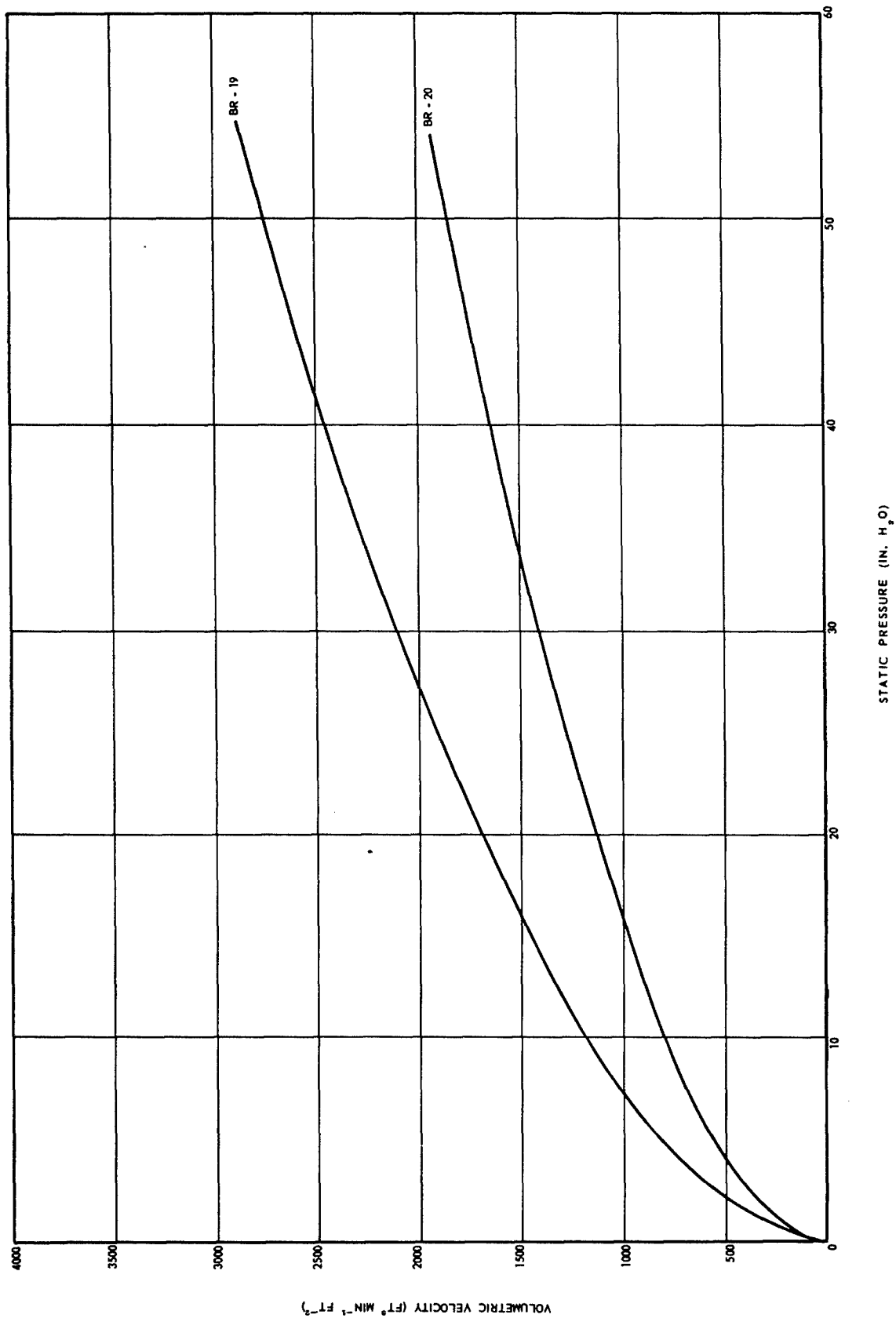


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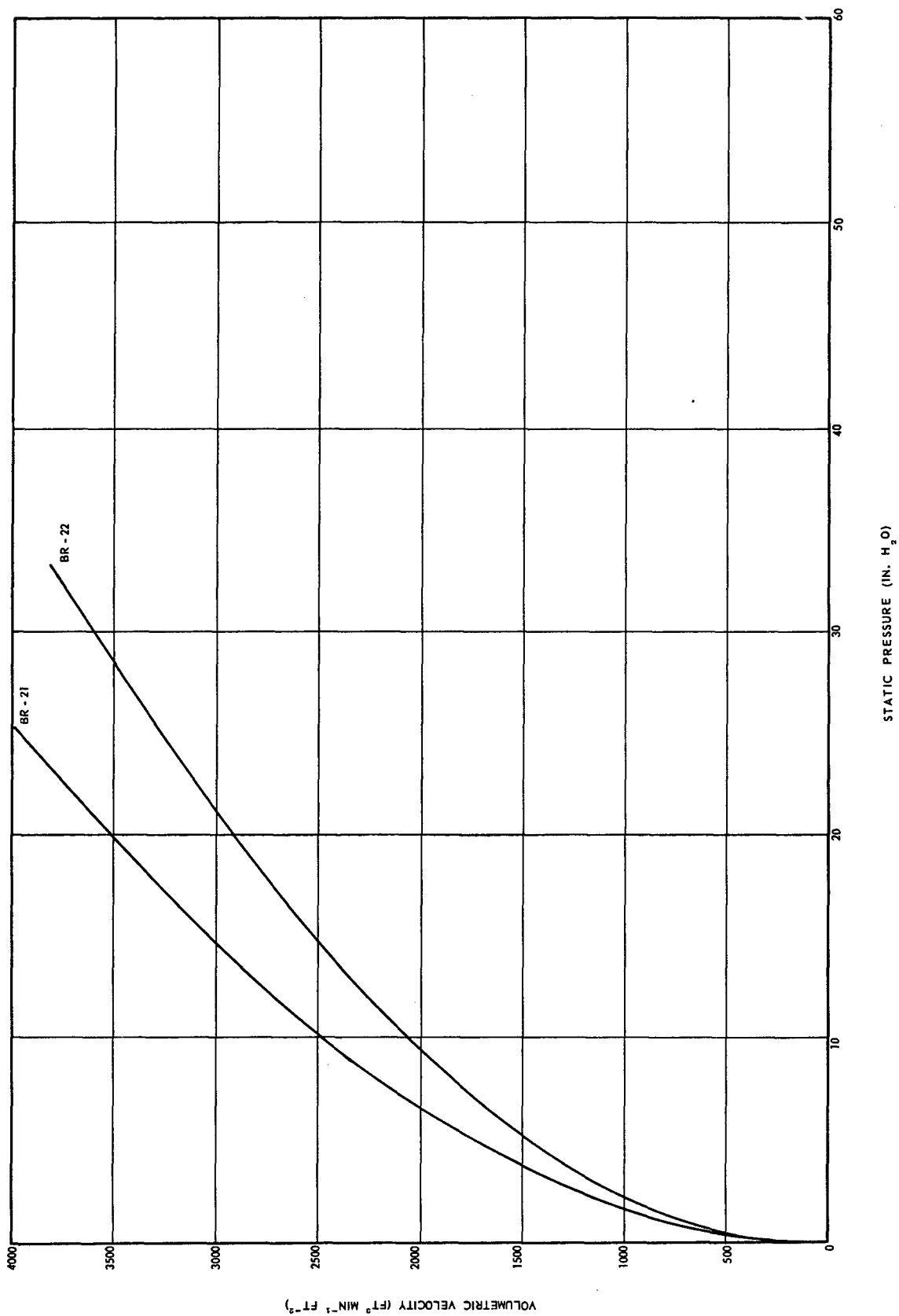


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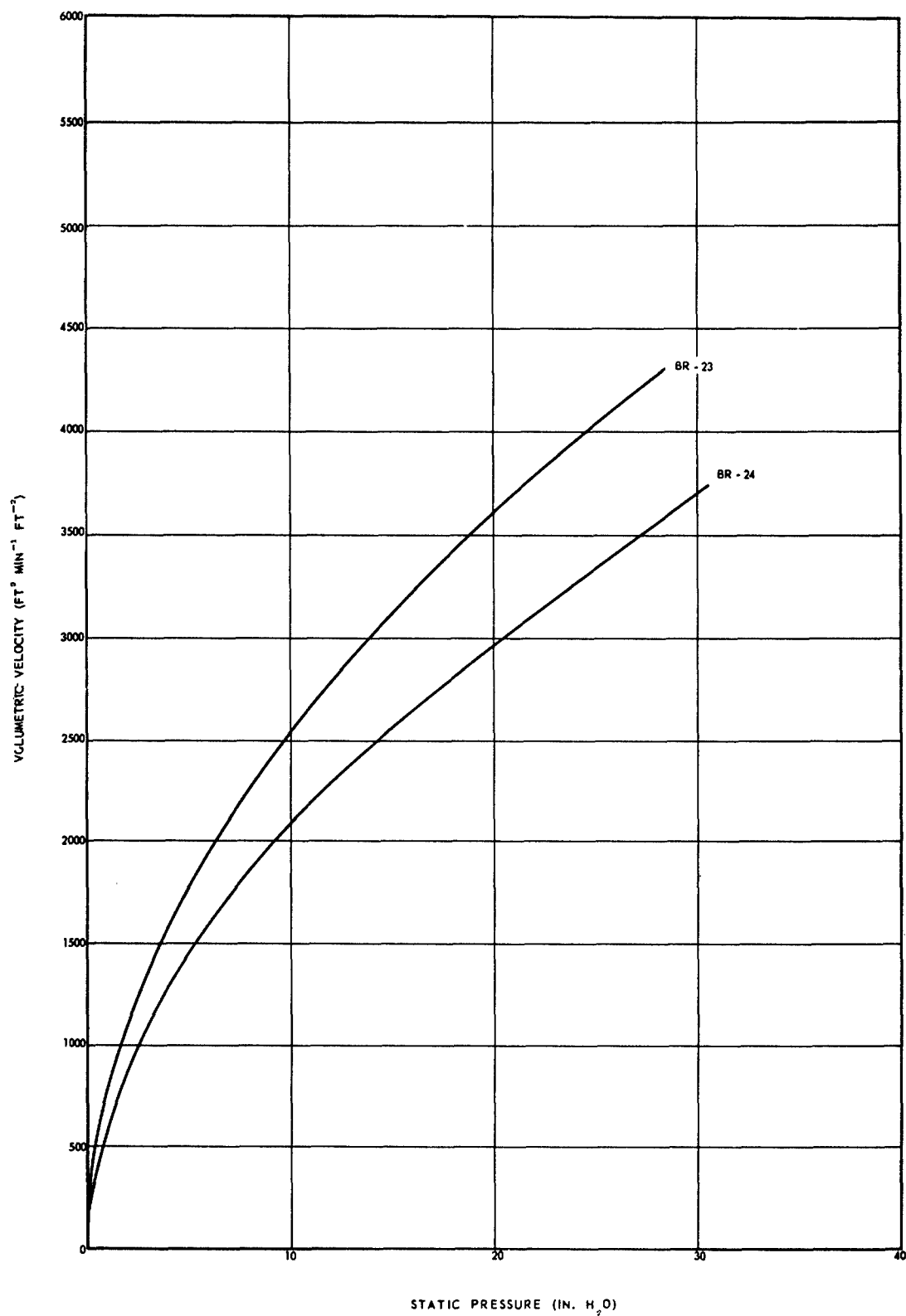


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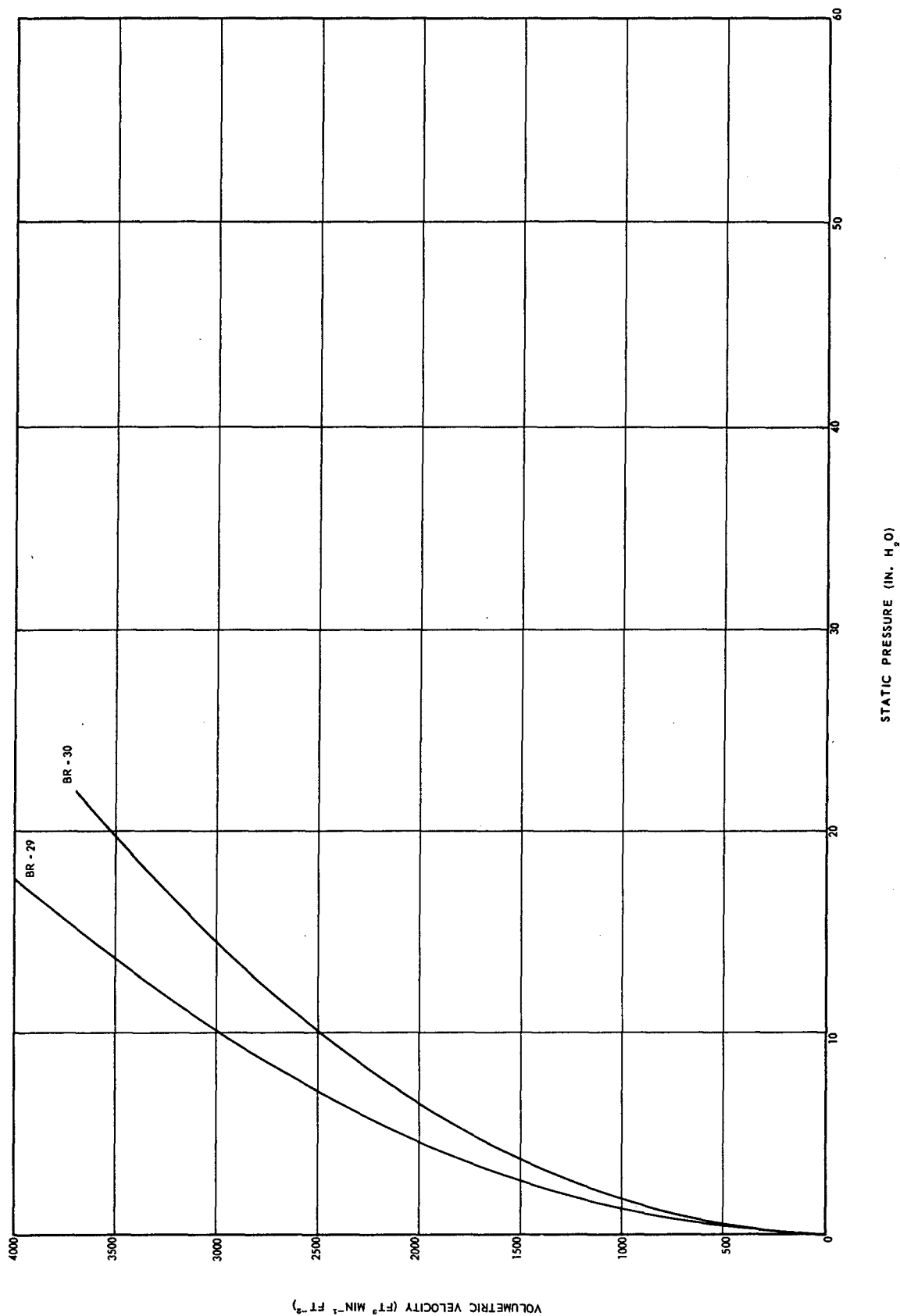


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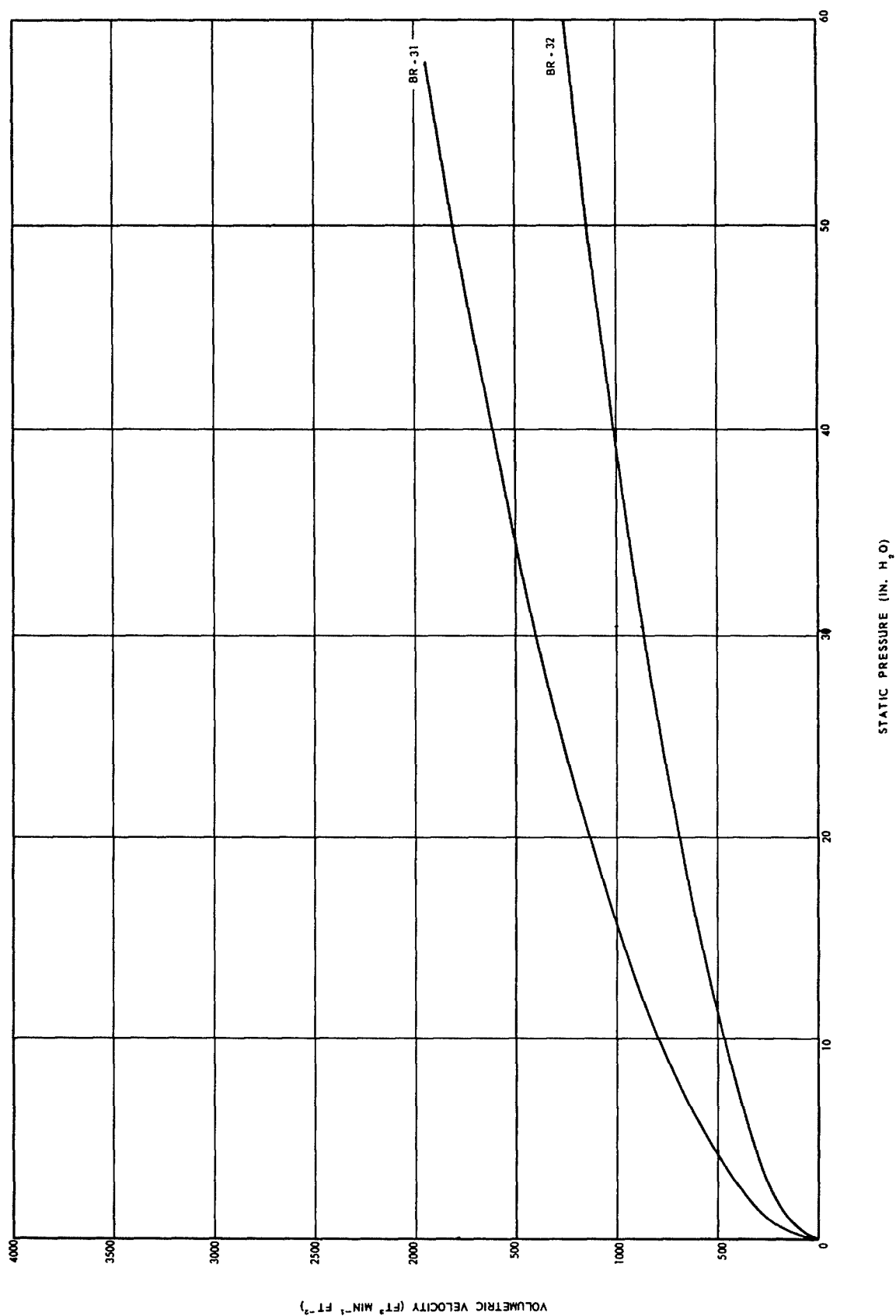


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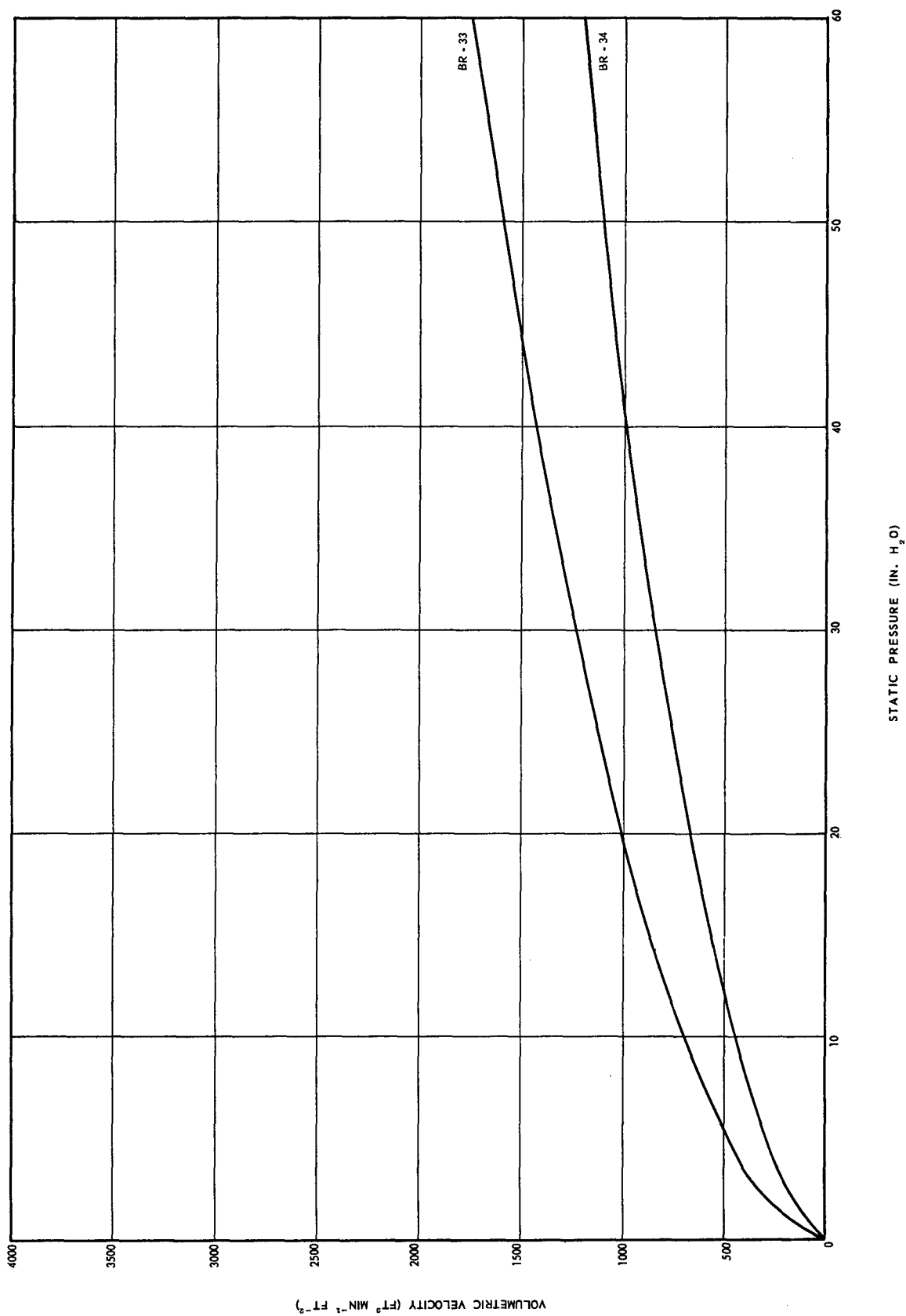


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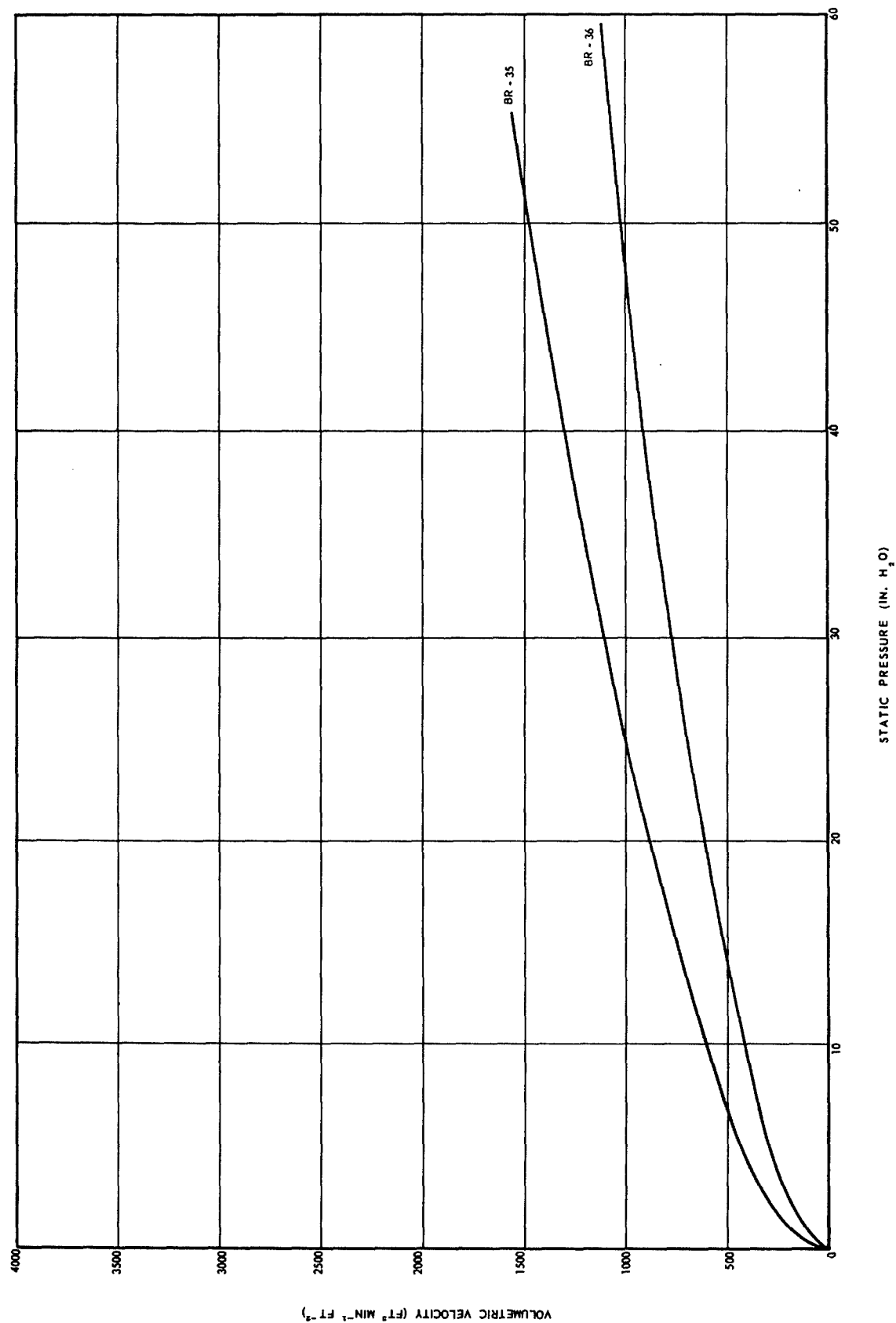


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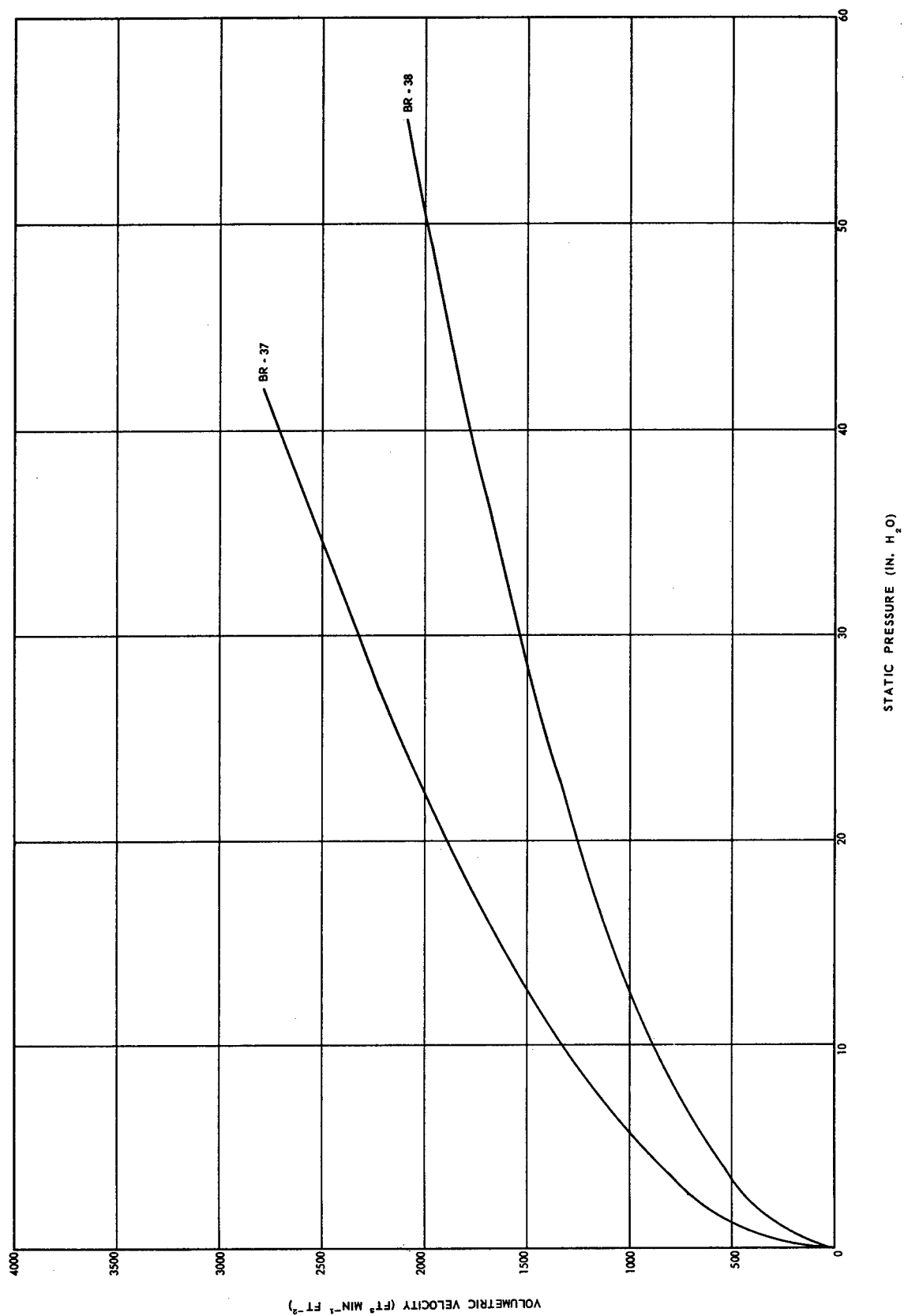


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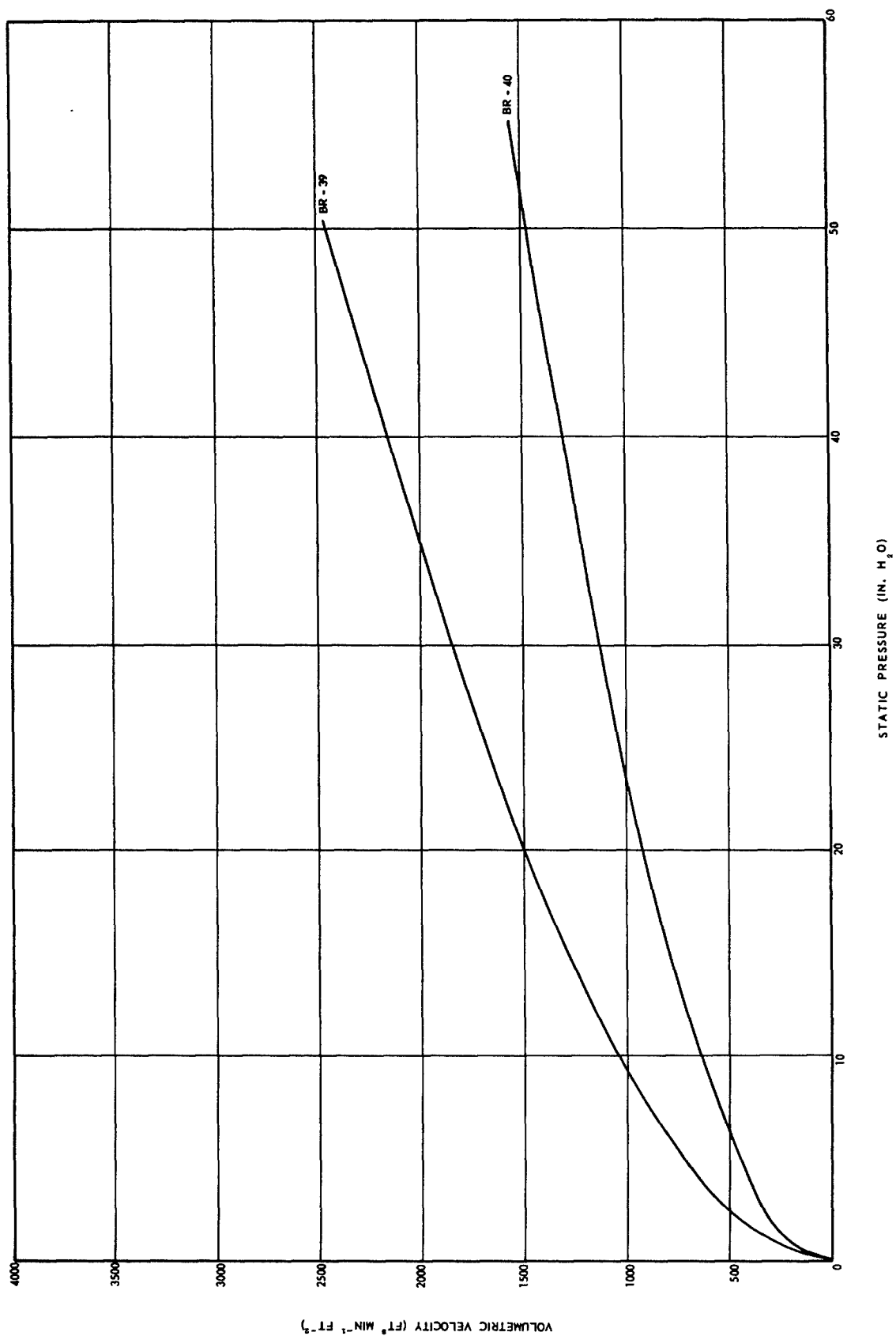


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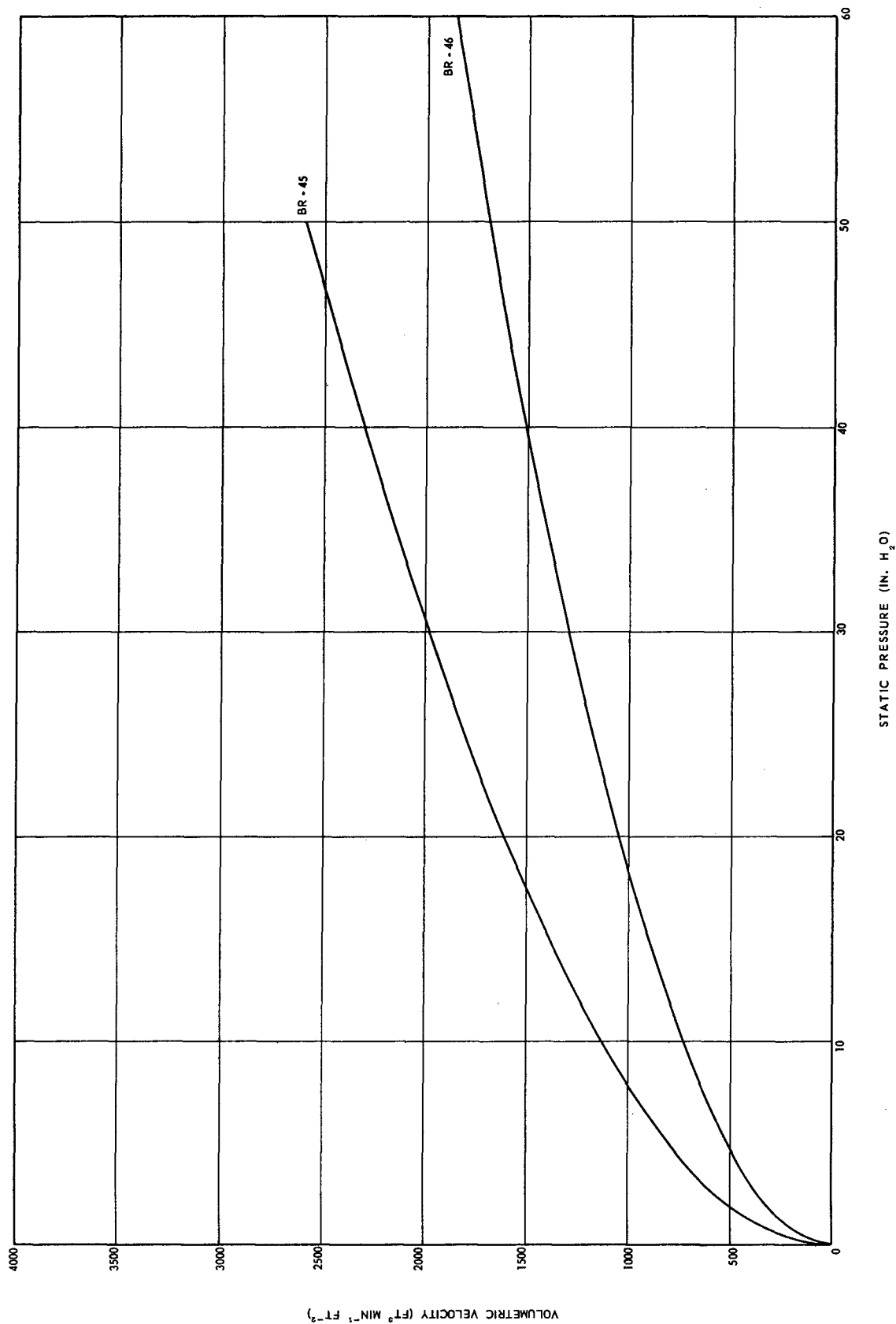


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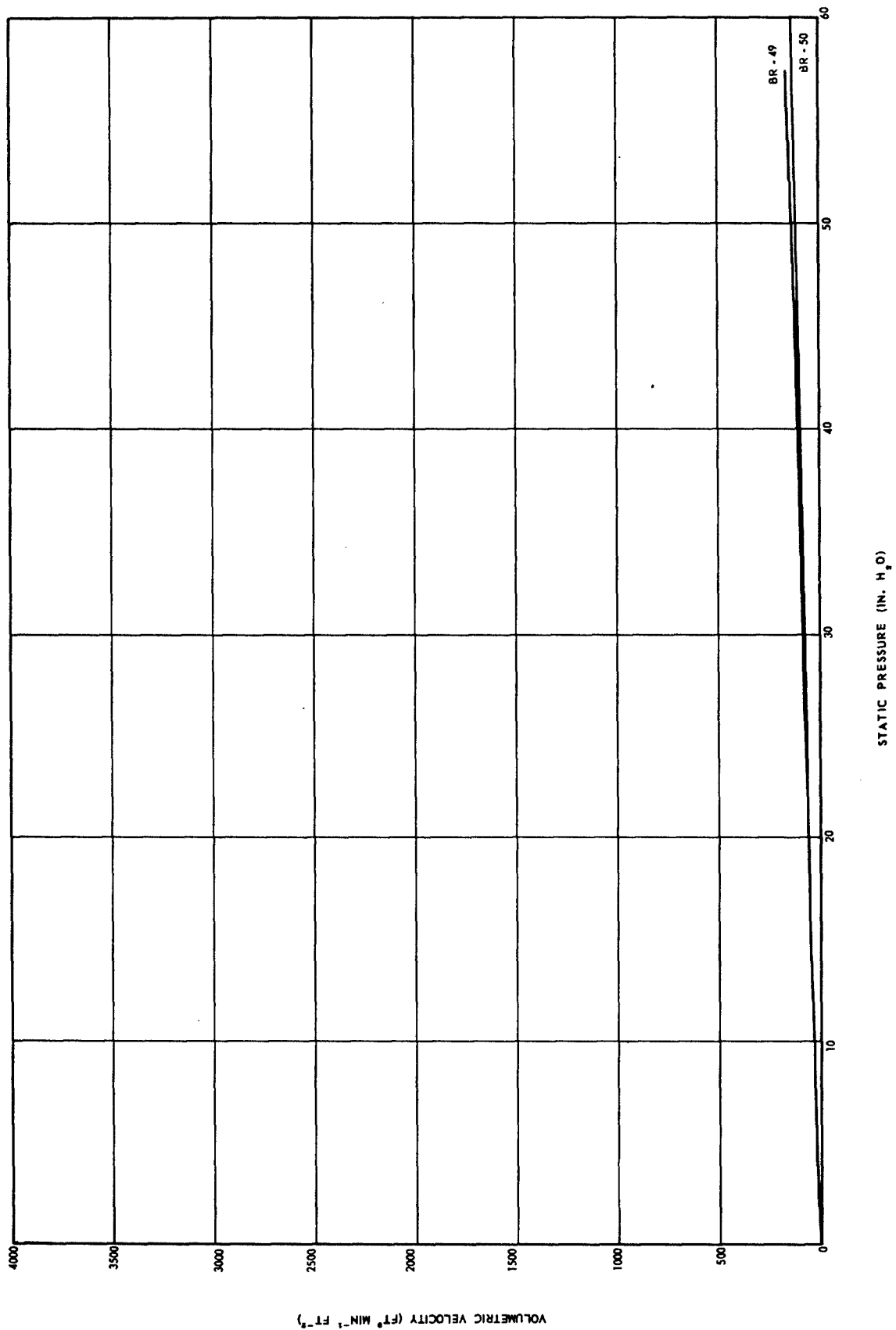


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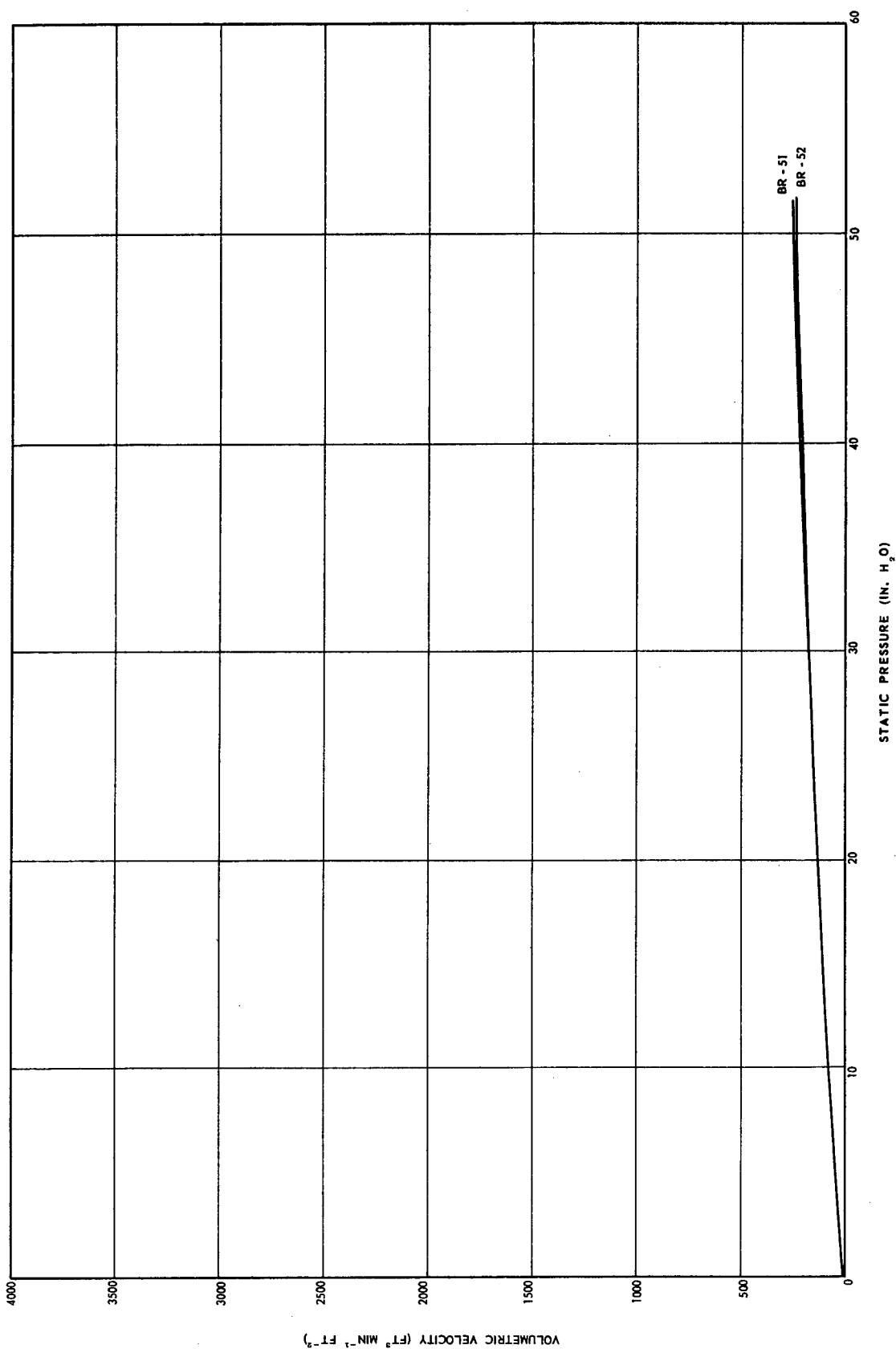


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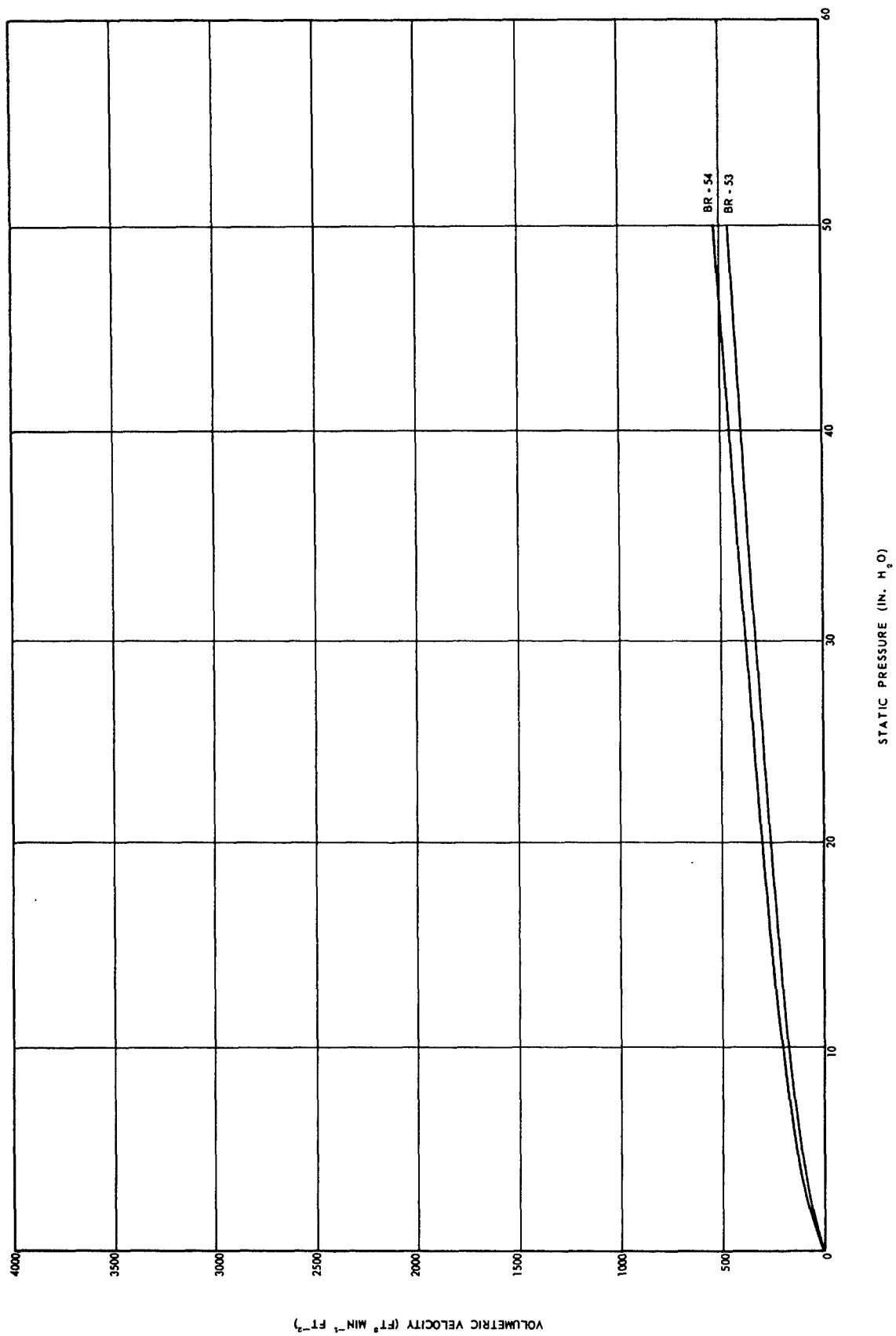


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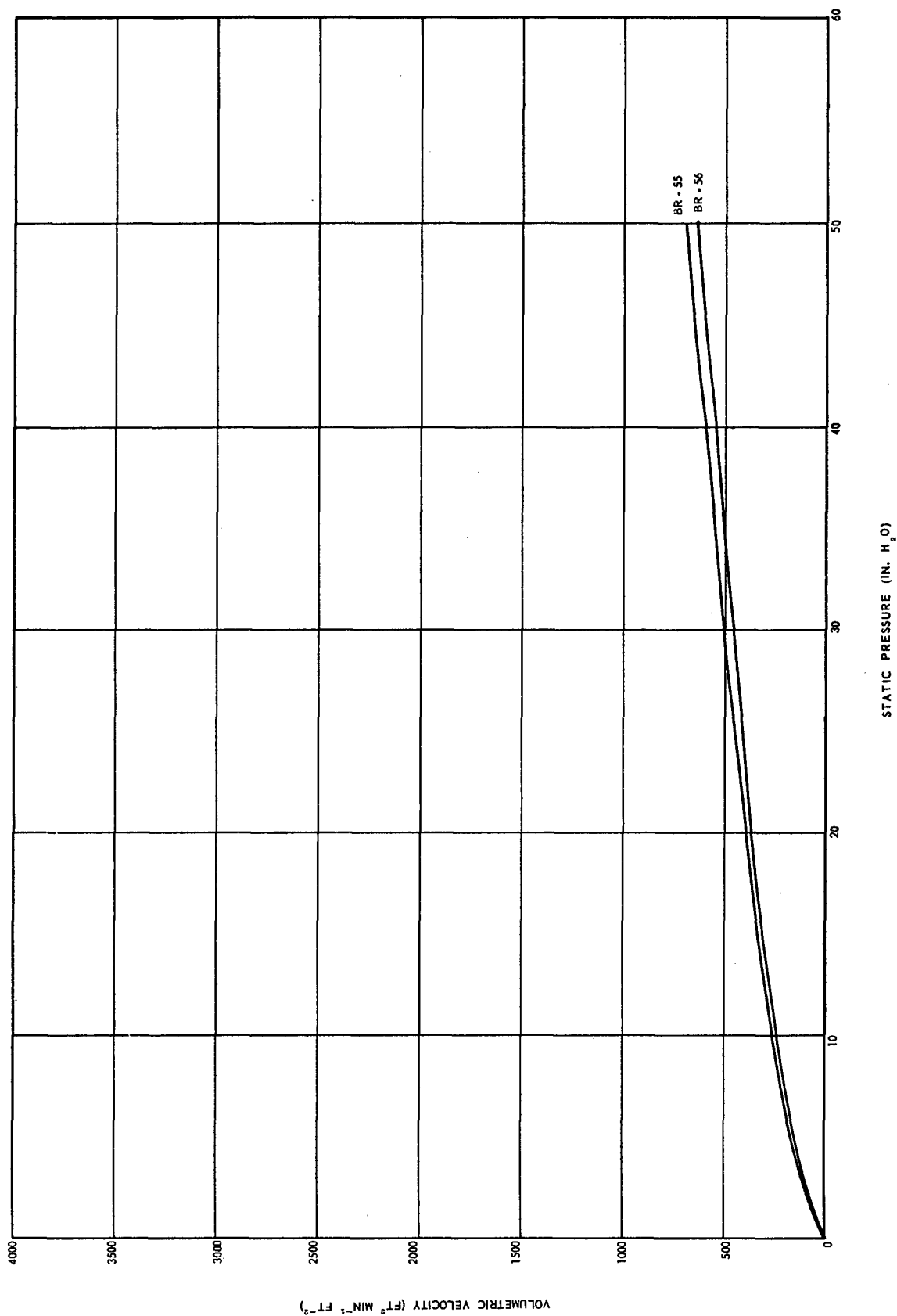


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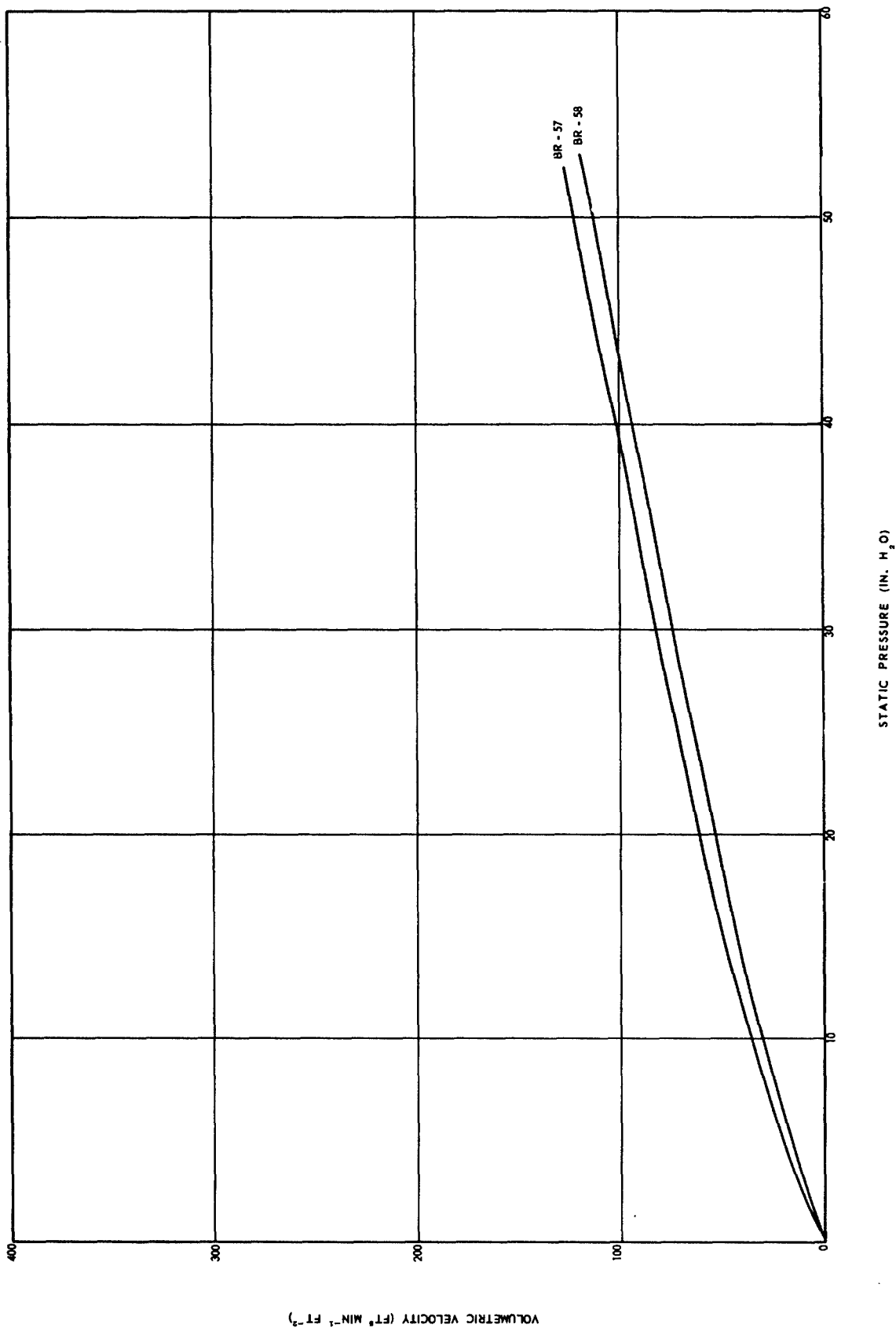


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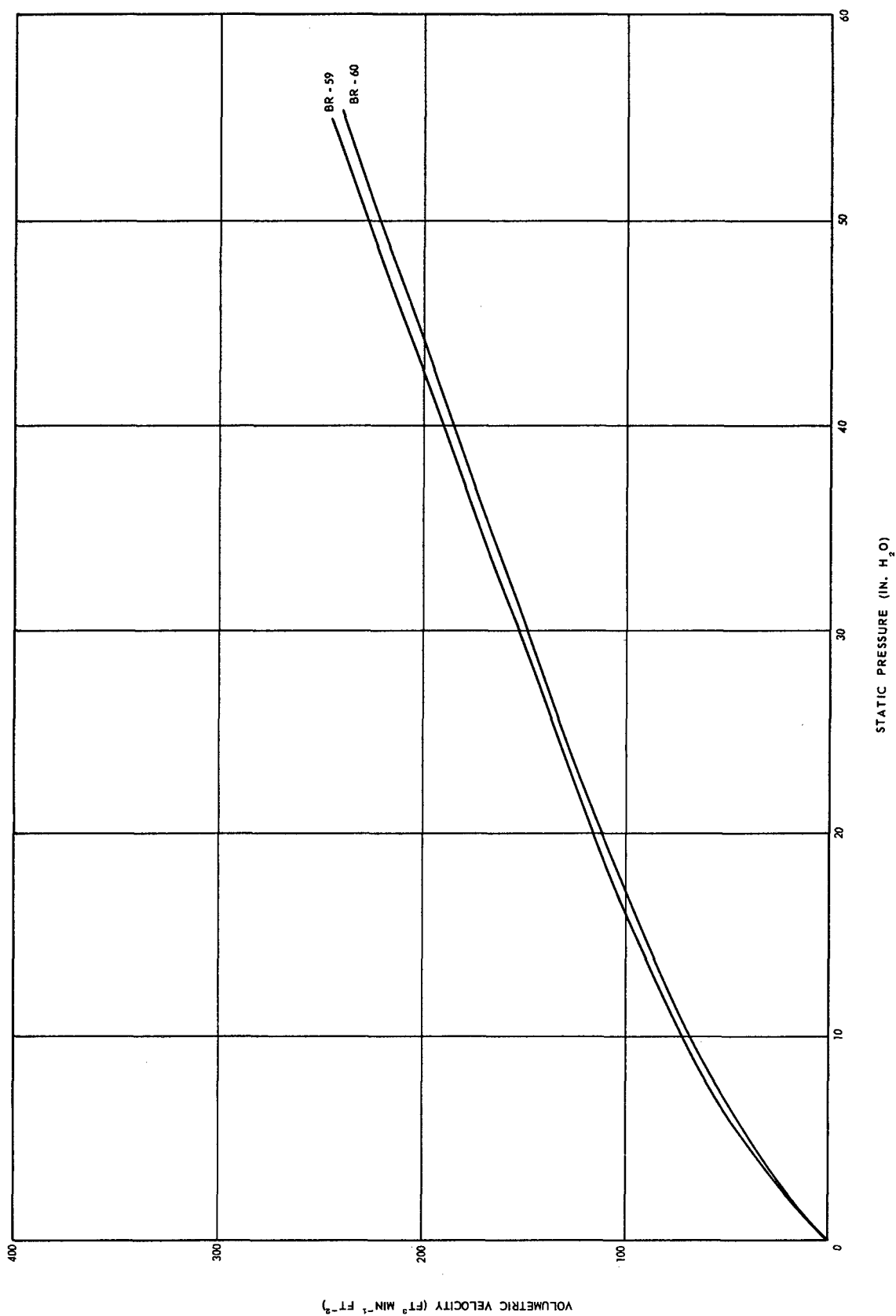


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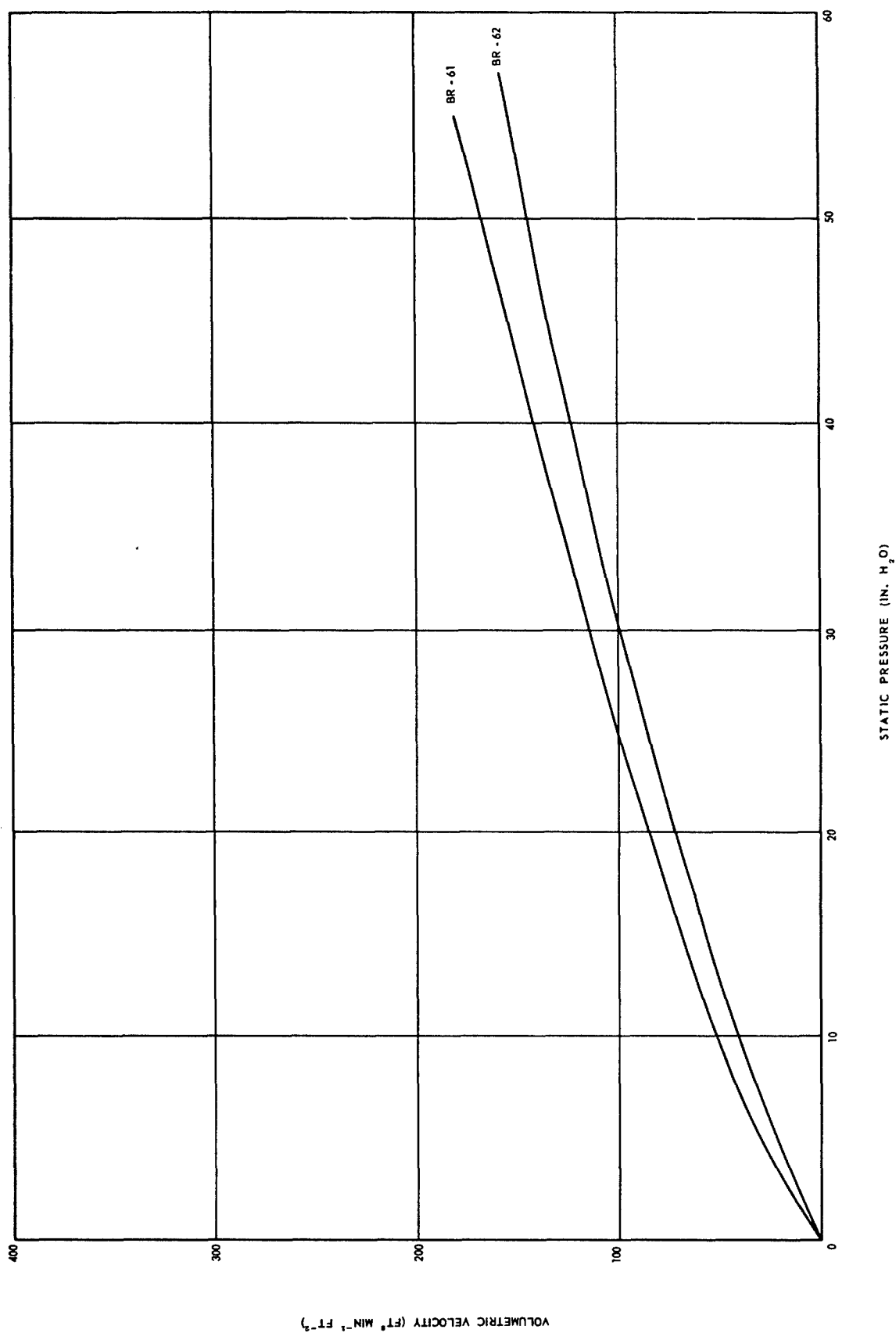


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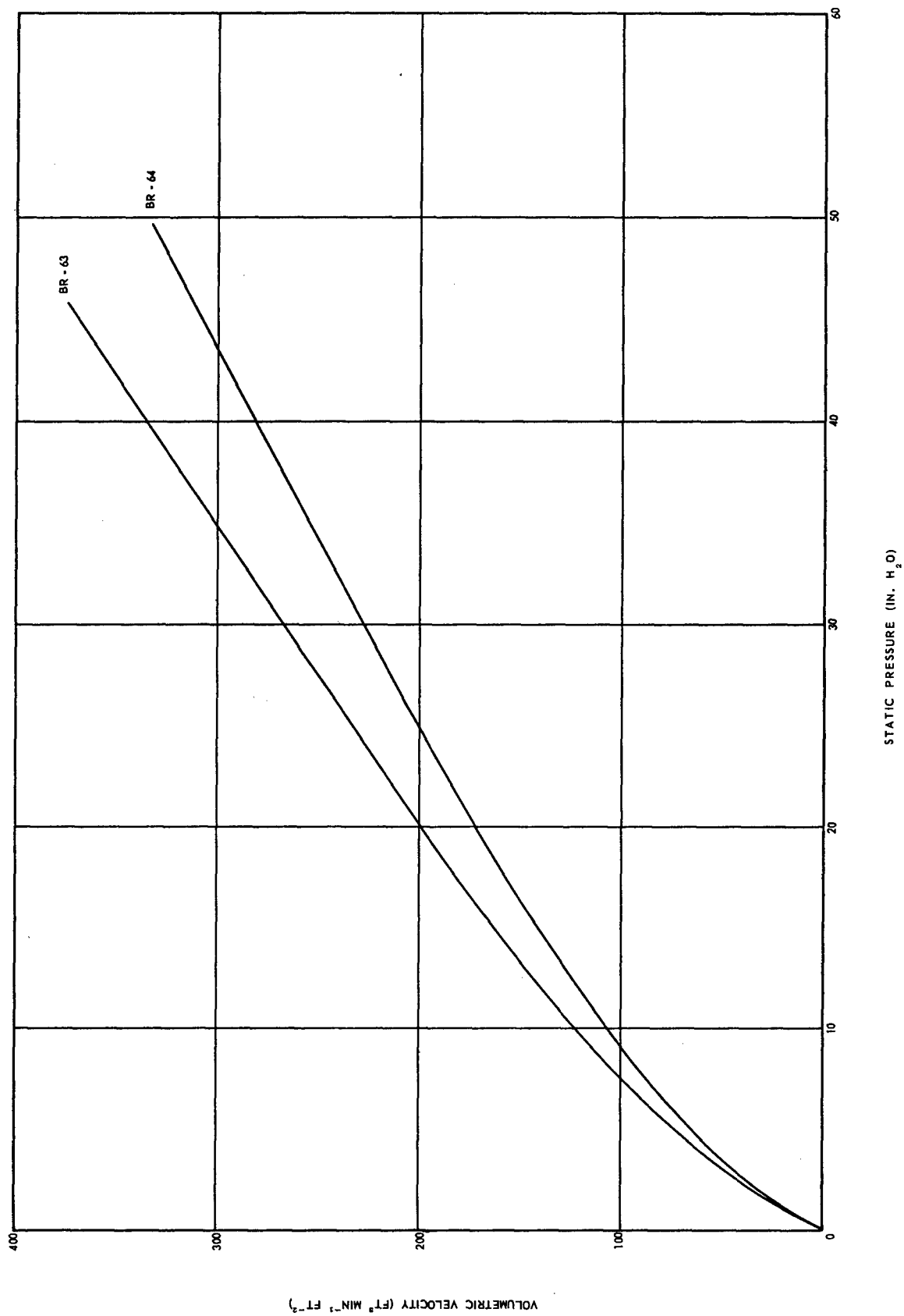


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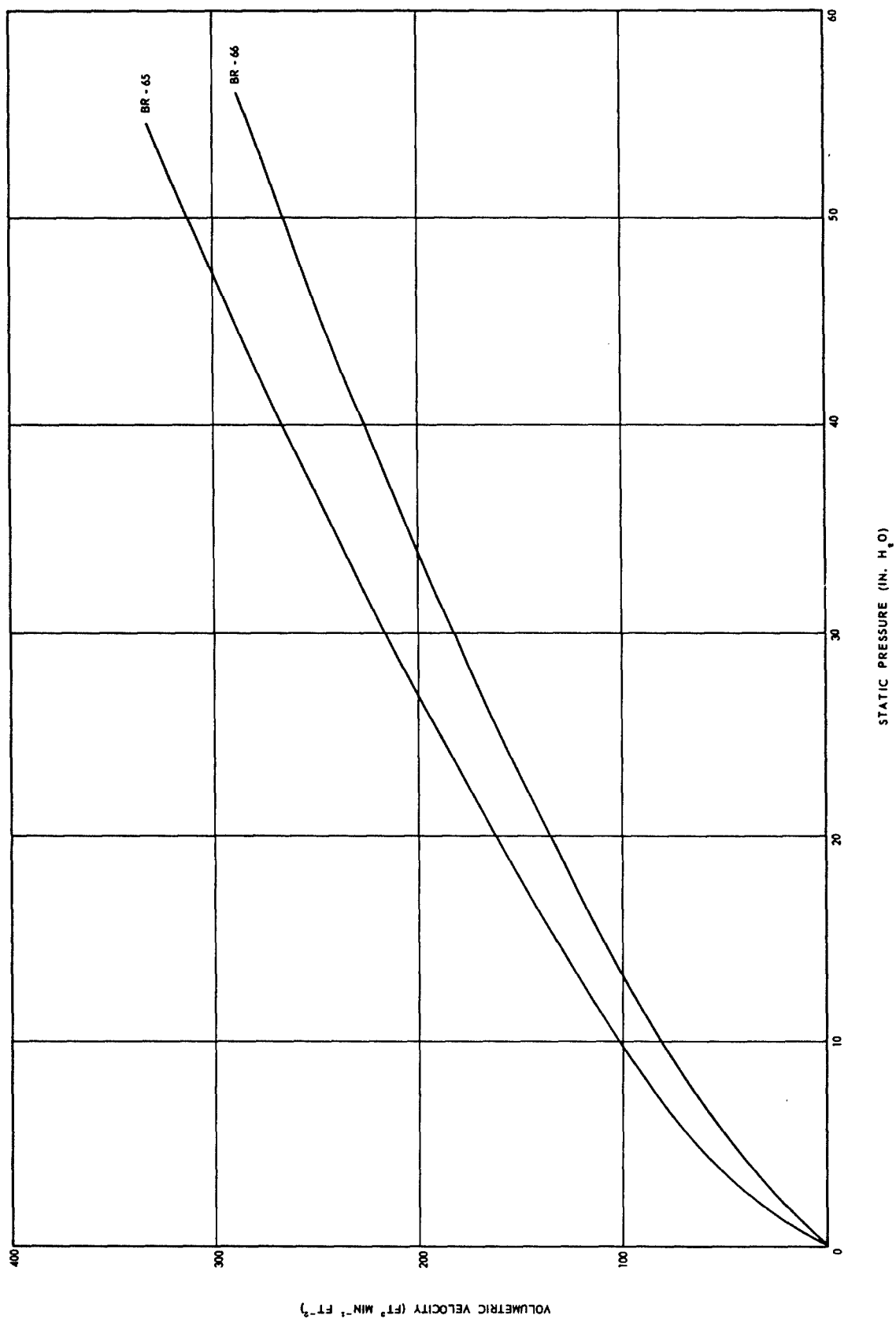


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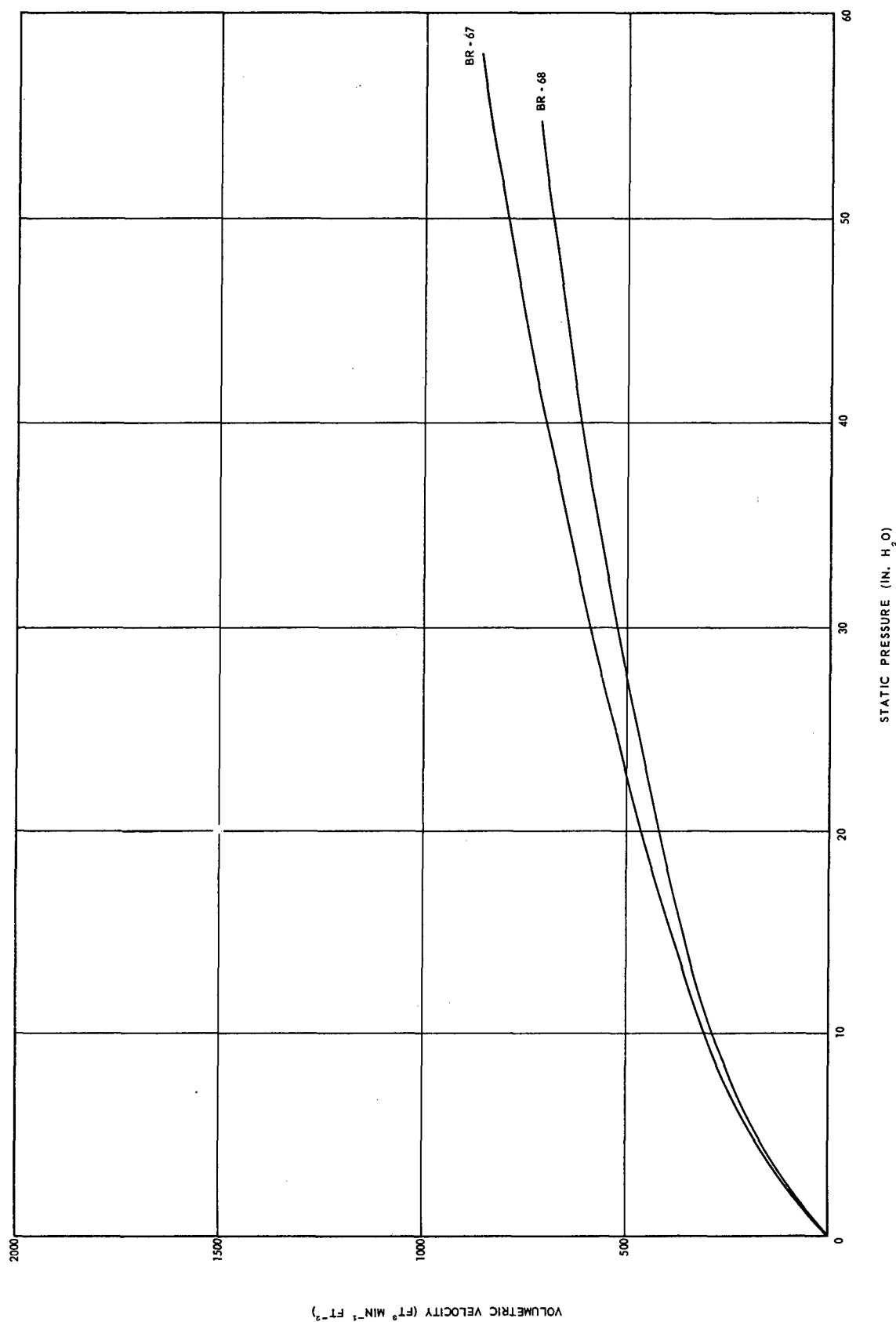


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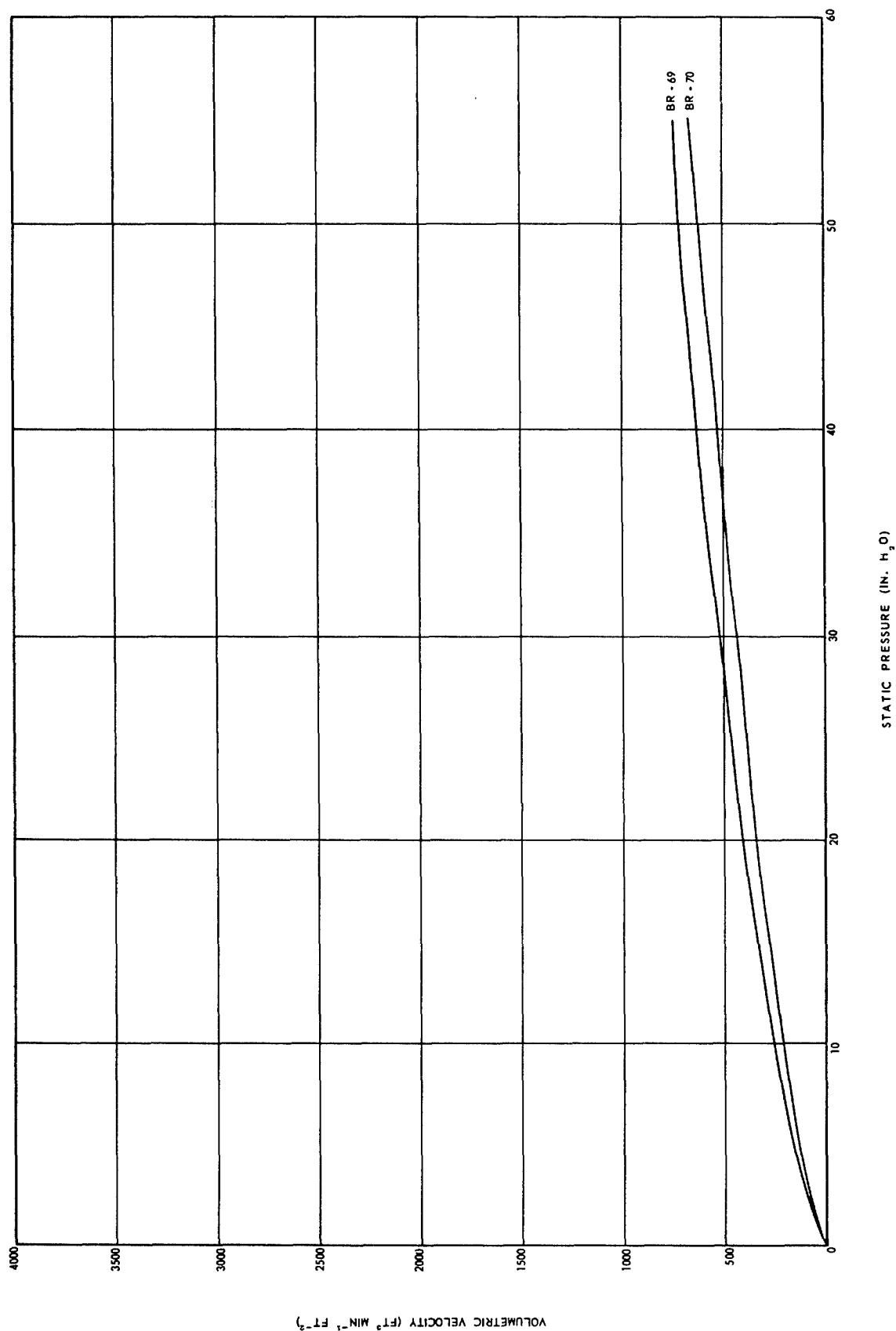


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